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To His Excellency the Right Honourable Sir Gilbert John Elliot, Earl of Minto and Viscount Melgund of Melgund, County of Forfar, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Minto of Minto, County of Roxburgh, in the Peerage of Great Britain, Baronet of Nova Scotia, \&c., \&c., Governor General of Canada.

## May it Please Your Excellenoy-

The undersigned has the honour to present to Your Excellency the Annual Report of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1901.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

> R. W. SCOTT,
> Secretary of State.

Ottawa, February 13, 1902.




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# Department of Public Printing and Stationery, 

 King's Printer's Office, Ottawa, February 13, 1902.The Honourable

R. W. Scotт, K.C., LL.D.,

## Secretary of State.

Sir,-I have the honour to submit the annual report of this department covering the operations of the year ended June 30, 1901. Detailed information concerning the branches under their care will be found in the appended reports of the Accountant, the Superintendent of Printing and the Superintendent of Stationery.

The figures of the Accountant show a large increase in the amount of business transacted during the past fiscal year compared with previous years. The increase extends over all the operations of the department. The King's Printer's 'advance account' shows a surplus carried over available for the transactions of the current year, It is difficult precisely to balance the expenditure and the income, because it cannot be known exactly what deliveries of work will come to account. During the year under review, parliament rose in the middle of May, and it became possible to complete and charge up much which, in former sessions, had to be carried over unfinished into the new year.

The incessant growth of the demands upon the Printing Bureau is well shown in the single item of postal stamped envelopes. The number estimated in the proposals for tenders in 1896 was 214,300 annually. That was based on the experience of preceding years. The number made and stamped at the Bureau, during the last fiscal year, is given in the report of the Superintendent of Printing as 660,000 ; so that this one item has trebled itself in five years. In the number of envelopes printed, for general use, there has also been a great increase. The number printed in 1896 was 4,969,105 ; whereas the number during the past year was $7,500,244$; or an increase of fifty per cent in the same period of five years. For the same period the increase in sheets printed is shown to have advanced from $34,202,310$ to $52,335,059$-also fifty per cent. The same ratio of increase is shown in other operations as follows :-

| Numbers for Years ending June 30. | 1896. | 1901. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Perforation of forms. | 5,917,386 | 7,335,175 |
| Numbering. | 5,033,456 | 7,875,850 |
| Parcels packed. | 50,395 | 86,260 |

In the face of such facts as these it will not be a matter of wonder that a building, scarcely adequate to the requirements of 1890 , should be found insufficient for the

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requirements of 1900. The report of the Superintendent of Printing will be found convenient also in giving particulars as to the number of Blue-books printed and how they are disposed of.

The report of the Superintendent of Stationery shows again a large increase in the amount of paper and stationery issued to the departments; and his tables specify the increase or decrease in each department separately. Some of the increase is due to the advanced cost of printing paper. The following analysis shows the nature of the increase and its amount :-


It is necessary to observe, for the matter has been much misunderstood, that the rise in price of last year was confined to printing papers. There was no advance in price in the writing papers upon which the great mass of departmental forms were printed.

In the same report will be found full information concerning the distribution of the annual volumes of statutes. These volumes are not supplied to justices of the peace. That distribution ceased, by Order in Council, in 1886 ; and the present list was then authorized. The justices of the peace are supplied with 'The Criminal Code' and annually with the amending statutes. There are in the Dominion 15,725 justices of the peace. The grand total of volumes of statutes printed in 1886 was 26,750 , and the vote was $\$ 12,000$. Under the present system the number printed was in $1898,11,200$ and the vote is $\$ 6,000$. Thousands of volumes under the old system lay about unclaimed as an encumbrance in the offices of the local officials. Most of these were ultimately destroyed, but in some cases large numbers of these surplus volumes were returned to the King's Printer at a considerable cost for freight.

There is another point worthy of special attention in the report of the Superintendent of Stationery. He has given a table at p. 63 showing the growth of his department year by year. Taking the two extreme years of his comparative table the results are as follows :-

| For the year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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The business is therefore much more than double what it was when the Printing Bureau was instituted.

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It is worthy of remark that while all this amount of stationery is cared for and handled with the same precaution as in any mercantile establishment, a large proportion of it has to be sent by mail packed in five pound packages, and that all this is done by five clerks and three packers.

During the last session of parliament the Printing Bureau was the subject of an unusual amount of interest and inquiry. The difficulties against which it has been struggling for years were recognized, and the committees of parliament made some important recommendations and changes. These are set forth under their proper heads in the following pages, and they are set forth in some detail. This is the more necessary in a new parliament since many of the new members must be unfamiliar with the details of the public printing which are all more or less technical. The proceedings before the committees and the debate of last session in the House show the importance which is attached by members generally to due and adequate provision not only for the printing of the matter necessary to the regular proceedings of the House itself, but for the due and adequate dissemination among the people generally of the documents necessary to the working of government.

These details are grouped under the following heads :-

1. The Hansards-English and French.
2. The Blue-books generally.
3. The French Blue-books specially.
4. The Enlargement of the Printing Bureau.
5. The Finances of the Bureau.

6 . The Voters' lists in the recent election.

## THE PARLIAMENTARY DEBATES.

During the past year the Hansard committee of the House of Commons devoted great attention to the publication of the debates and some very important changes were inaugurated. Ever since the introduction of linotype machines, the printing of the debates had been carried on with a promptness and regularity unequalled in any part of the world. Even if the House sat until 4 o'clock in the morning, a complete report of the debate was on each member's desk when the House next assembled at 3 p.m. The excellence of this service had not been recognized; it was taken as a matter of course, but the following extract from the rules governing the issue of the corresponding publication of the United States Congress will show the advantages of the Canadian system :-

## The Congressional Record.

The following rules for the publication of the Congressional Record were adopted by the Joint Committee on Printing on May 5, 1886 (first session, Fortyninth Congress) :-
'First. When copy is taken out for revision by Senators, Representatives, or Delegates, it should be returned to the Government Printing Office not later than 12 o'clock, midnight, in order to insure its publication in the Record on the morning following; and if said copy is not furnished at the time specified the Public

Printer is authorized to withhold it from the Record for one day, and in no case will a speech be printed in the Record on the day after its delivery if the copy be furnished later than 12 o'clock, midnight.

Second. The copy of speeches containing large tabular statements to be published in the Record should be in the hands of the Public Printer not later than 6 o'clock p.m. on the day prior to their publication.

Third. Proofs of 'leaves to print' and advance speeches will not be furnished on the night of the day which copy is received, but will be sent on the following day, should it be possible to do so without causing delay in the publication of the regular proceedings of Congress.

Fourth. Corrections in speeches for the bound edition of the Record should be sent to the Public Printer within four days after the delivery of the speech to be corrected, as it is then stereotyped.

Fifth. If copy or proofs have not been returned within the time above mentioned, the Public Printer will insert the words ' Mr . _ withholds his remarks for revision, and they will appear hereafter,' and proceed with the printing of the Record.'

An attentive perusal of these rules will show that the Congressional Record is not such a 'Mirror of Parliament' as the Canadian Hansard; for it may contain much matter which has not been spoken and may omit, or hold back indefinitely, speeches which have been made.

The English system would be even less satisfactory in Canada, as will be seen by the following extract from the rules :-

## The English Hansard.

' 2 . The Contractors shall print, publish and, subject to the conditions herein contained, sell Reports of all Proceedings and Debates in both Houses of Parliament.
'3. The Contractors shall exercise their own discretion as to the fulness of the Reports given provided always that every question addressed by a Member to a Minister and the Minister's reply shall be reported in full and that in no case shall any speech be reported at less than one-third of its length as delivered and that the Debates in Committee of either House and Debates on Private Bills shall be reported with the same fulness as Debates on public questions without regard to the hour of delivery of the speeches.
'5. The Contractors shall on the third day after delivery of any speeches furnish the Members who have delivered them proofs in slip of all such speeches for correction by such Members. Two clear days shall be allowed for correction and on the seventh day the Contractors shall publish their Report containing the speeches. In all cases in which proofs of speeches are returned corrected by the speakers within the time prescribed the fact that they have been corrected by the speakers shall in each case be noted by an asterisk at the commencement of the speech. When not returned within the prescribed period the speeches shall appear in the Reports as first issued in slip.
'7. The Contractors shall sell the Reports to the Government or the public as demanded either in separate daily parts or otherwise at such prices as they may judge right, provided always that their charges shall not exceed for a complete set of the Reports of any Session to which this Contract relates whether in daily parts or in volumes five guineas or for a single part one shilling. The Contractors shall during the Session of Parliament be afforded facilities equal to those now provided within the precincts of the House of Parliament for the sale of Reports and the Contractors shall if required to do so for the convenience of Members have there on sale at the prices hereinbefore specified copies of all daily parts issued during the then current Session.'

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In England there are no copies given away ; but all are sold, even to members, by the contractors. A comparison between the English and Canadian systems has been so forcibly made on the floor of the Imperial House in the following extract from the Imperial Hansard that no further comment is necessary :-

## English and Canadian Hansard Compared.

${ }^{\prime} \mathrm{Mr}$. Lewis (Flint Burghs) * * * * * * * In the case of Canada each member of parliament finds on his breakfast table an official report of, the parliamentary proceedings of the previous day. Why cannot the Imperial parliament give to its members what the Dominion government gives to its members? In what respect do the circumstances of the two parliaments differ ? When we last discussed this the honourable member who spoke on behalf of the government seemed to be under the impression that the hours of the Dominion parliament were very different from our own, but I have found on careful inquiry and by an examination of the official reports that the Canadian parliament sits quite as late as our own-and indeed very much later. Notwithstanding this fact and the additional fact that the proceedings are conducted in two languages, members get the report of the proceedings on their breakfast table the next morning. If this can be done in Canada why cannot it be done in London? Are our printers less enterprising? Is it a matter of expense? Then surely if the Dominion parliament can afford it the Imperial parliament ought to be able to do so. It would be a great advantage to honourable members to be able to secure the answers to questions and to keep themselves au courant with the proceedings of the House. Are there not other directions in which economies might be made ? \&c., \&c., \&c.'

Another member would have been content with very much less-with one typewritten copy placed for reference in the library, of a small portion of the proceedings.
' Mr. Pirie (Aberdeen) hoped the government would follow the example of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and have 'duplicate typewritten answers to all questions placed in the library for the convenience of members.'

A comparison with the systems in use in the great southern colonies and with that adopted recently by the Confederated Australian Commonwealth might be made with equal advantage to Canada.

In the daily Hansard the speeches are printed in the language-French or Eng-lish-in which they are delivered. There are six English reporters and but two French. If then there is any continuous speaking in French, the two reporters have not time to transcribe their notes pari passu with the debate, but must go on taking notes until English speaking is resumed. Therefore it has occasionally happened that a French speech has been printed out of its place or even held over because the printing must go on with such copy as is sent down. This seldom happens, but it may happen. The Revised Hansard is published (after members have corrected their speeches), in consecutive sheets in book form-an edition in English and one in French. Here also a difficulty may occasionally arise in getting copy of the English translation of the French speeches. Although these dislocations very seldom occur, they are better explained in advance, because every delay is, by those unacquainted with the subject, supposed to be a printer's delay.

The Committee of the House thought that the time had come to bring the service to a higher degree of perfection, and early in last session they considered the possibility
of publication at 9 or 10 o'clock in the morning instead of $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. The conditions precedent to so early an issue were embodied by the King's Printer in a memorandum of which the following is an extract :-

## Morning Issue of Hansard.

## Memorandum.

To get out the Hansard Debates at an early hour in the morning is, in reality, so far as the printing is concerned, nothing more than to adopt newspaper methods. The character of the publication must be assimilated to that of a newspaper. The daily unrevised Hansard as now issued is an accurate record of what really has transpired in the House ; for the changes in the revised edition are, in ninety-nine cases out of one hundred, alterations, not corrections. At present the daily Hansard is despatched from the Bureau before three p.m., even when it reaches 80 or 90 pages, and is always complete. The problem is now to dispatch it before 10 a.m. No scheme is worth anything which does not provide for the long and late sessions, because it is just those which are the most interesting. Close examination shows that the question is really more for the reporters than for the printers. There is no mechanical difficulty.

First of all, the printing must become continuous-that is the Debates must be made up into page continuously and sent to press forme by forme as each forme is made ready. The formes cannot be held back because of gaps in the copy. The last speech in the new system must be the equivalent of the last newspaper telegraphic despatch, and when the copy for that comes the preceding formes must already be off the press.

By theory, the copy is continuous and complete. By theory, it comes down every half hour. In practice these conditions are far from being fulfilled. Whether they can be fulfilled without an increase of the present staff is for the reporters to say. The printer can only state the conditions antecedently necessary.

First, as to continuity.-The copy comes down in 'takes' distinguished by letters of the alphabet. But it frequently happens that, from causes unknown in the printing office, A, B and C are followed not by D, or even E, but by F and G, and something may delay D and E for hours, or even to the very last. In newspapers the first formes go to press and the late matter is continued with a reference on the last page. The first formes must in like manner go to press under the new system and cannot be overrun. It may be that there are extracts and the book is not available. It may be that some member has spoken in French. Then the speech cannot be written out in long hand for many hours, but meantime the 'make-up' must go on. That will throw the extracts separate from the speeches and the French speeches will fall into the later pages.

Secondly.- It is necessary that the copy be complete-it is so in theory, but not in practice. Continually the copy reads 'see V. and P.'-that means that the printer shall refer to the copy of the Votes and Proceedings, but that copy does not come down until some time after the House rises. There is therefore much more editing done at the Bureau than it gets credit for. If the House will be content with such references (and they will frequently appear in the first formes) there is nothing to be said. Or if the reporters can make the copy perfect there is again nothing to be said ; only they must do so, for it will have to be printed as they send it down.

Thirdly.-The copy must be early. By theory, it comes down every half hour ; so that before a member has finished his speech the early portion may be in type. In practice the copy does not so come down. When the House rises there ought not to be more than one-half hour of matter to come down if there is to be an early edition.

The antecedent conditions being duly fulfilled the mechanical difficulty is easily arranged. It is only to adapt the Bureau staff to newspaper methods. At

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present the power stops, and therefore the presses stop at $5.30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. The power must be continuous night and day since one or more presses must run all night. Men must be brought back to 'make-up' continuously through the night; the proof-reading staff must be strengthened, and hands must be kept on at night in the sheet department of the bindery.

These obviously necessary conditions were fulfilled, and thenceforth during, the session the Hansard was distributed between 9 and 10 o'clock of every day.

The rules of publication were also amended in other directions and, inasmuch as in a new parliament there will be many members unfamiliar with them, it will be convenient to collect them here for ready reference.
rules for printing the debates of the house of comions, adopted april $27,1899$.

## Daily and Revised Editions (English).

1. The chief reporter shall see that the printer's copy of the daily issue is furnished concurrently with the debates as the debate proceeds ; and said copy shall be accepted as correct by the printer. All the copy for each day's publication shall be delivered to the printer within two hours after the adjournment of the House.
2. The type used in printing to be brevier, with quotations in nonpareil.
3. The printing shall be performed daily on such size of sheet as many be directed; and shall contain the speeches which have been delivered at the previous sitting of the House, and these shall be published as reported, in the language in which they are delivered. The said sheets to be delivered at the distribution office by 3 o'clock p.m., after each sitting. - (N.B.-Time changed as explained above.)
4. In the event of the House sitting after 12 o'clock, the daily sheets are to be delivered as expeditiously as possible after 3 p.m. the following day.
5. The type of the daily edition shall be kept standing, and the sheets of the daily issue shall be revised by an officer appointed by the House. Members may send corrections to the said officer to be embodied in his revise.
6. That the time allowed for the aforesaid revision and correction by members shall not exceed twenty-four hours after the delivery of the daily issue to the House ; and that all corrections shall be sent to the debates office within that time. That promptly on the expiration of the twenty-four hours the proof sheets shall be sent to the Printing Bureau, where the corrections shall be made and the final proofs shall be read for the book form ; and the work shall be then forthwith printed and constitute the Revised Edition.

## French Edition.

7. The debates shall be translated into French from the revised English edition.
8. The French copy shall be sent to the Printing Bureau to be set up in type in portions as fast as it is done, without waiting for a complete forme to be translated.
9. The proofs shall be sent to the translator in galleys only. He shall return them signed within twenty-four hours after their receipt, and they shall be printed offं, after correction, without further delay, as soon as a forme of 32 columns is ready.

## Index.

10. Indexes of the English and French editions shall be prepared by the proper officers concurrently with the issue of the revised sheets. They shall be sent to the Printing Bureau within one month after the prorogation of parliament.

Under the above rules 3 p.m. was fixed as the hour of delivering the Debates. The hour has been changed but the following statement shows how closely the Bureau carried out the rules, notwithstanding the drawbacks before mentioned :-

## Daily deliveries in 1900 (before the change).

The daily Hansard was sent out from the Bureau in 1900 as follows :-
18 days delivered before noon.

| 20 days | " | from noon to 2 p.m. |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 64 days | " | from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. |
| 12 days | " | from 3 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. |
| 1 day | " | at 5 p.m. |

The early morning edition was successfully inaugurated and attention having thus been drawn to the subject it will be convenient to recapitulate here the rules which have from time to time been enacted. Difficulties would sometimes arise and delays would be imminent in consequence of extensive alterations made upon the proofs. The King's Printer received the following communication upon that subject :-

> House of Commons,
> Ottawa, April 5, 1900.

Sir,-I beg to direct your attention to the Resolution No. 3 of the Debates Committee, and to say that it is the decision of the committee that no change can be made either in the revised English or French editions of the official report of the Debates, or in the printing of individual speeches.

Yours truly,

> L. C. PANET, Clerk, Debates Committee.

Delays having occurred from other causes the committee (on March 29, 1900) resolved-
'That, in the event of any member failing to return his speech corrected within the time limited by the rule, the assistant to the Chief Reporter shall transmit the sheets (uncorrected) to the Superintendent of Printing which shall be considered by the latter as authority to print.'

After the distribution of the continuous sheets of the revised edition a certain number of copies are put aside, sheet by sheet, and, at the close of the session, are bound up in volumes with indexes for distribution to members. The right to make further corrections was sometimes claimed and this would be effected by printing cancels. That was forbidden by the following resolution :-
'Resolved, That the practice which has prevailed for years of allowing corrections to be made, after the revised edition has been finally printed, be discontinued in future ; as the same, not only results in the existence of a second revised edition, but retards the final issue of the bound volume ; and that, in future, all changes be made by a sheet of errata and in no other way whatever.'

When the type has been used for printipg the revised edition, and before the formes are broken up, orders sent in beforehand for printing speeches of members separately may be executed at the bare cost of paper and presswork. As a parliament approaches its last session this privilege is largely used and as many as a million and a quarter of separate speeches have been printed in one session. Here also

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difficulty would occasionally arise, for members sometimes claimed a right to alter their speeches from the form in which they had appeared in the finally corrected Hansard, and also to insert headings. This caused the overrunning of lines and pages and often the re-setting of the whole speech. There was also a further inconvenience about headings in that they sometimes contained comments intended for circulation among constituents but not spoken in parliament. The question was decided by the Committee on March 27, 1896, as follows :-
'Resolved, That hereafter members desiring to procure copies of their speeches may, on application to the Queen's Printer, obtain the same as they appear in the revised version only, of the official report of the debates; provided the order therefor be given in time to be printed off together with the regular issue thereof.'

And on April 2, 1901, the committee instructed the King's Printer more definitely that headings are not permitted to be inserted, but that individual speeches must be reproduced as they appear in the Revised Edition of the debates.

## The French Hansard.

The French edition of Hansard is translated from the Revised Edition in English, and any delay in that is therefore transferred to the French edition. The details of the interaction of these two versions are intricate and are understood by few. They are the subject of constant misapprehension, and hence it would seem desirable to explain to what extent the French Hansard must of necessity be later than the English.

On the morning after the speeches the daily unrevised edition is issued. The members have twenty-four clear hours after $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. of that day (the second after the speech), in which to correct and return their speeches to the Hansard room in the House from whence the corrected proofs are sent to the Bureau-usually from 3.30 to 5 p.m. The corrections have then to be made, the pages are overrun and 'made up' anew into sheets of the Revised Edition, and during the following day the formes are ready for press. At that stage they become available for the translators-the English, for the French translators ; and the French, for the English translators. Time must be allowed for translation, and the translating staff have to work hard to overtake a long debate. When their work is done it is new 'copy' and has to be set up in type. Proofs are sent out, read, returned and corrected before the sheets can be finally printed, Then there will always be a Sunday and occasionally a holiday to count in the chain of work as an additional delay. Under the most favourable conditions there must always be, not a delay but an interval, of from three to five days between the date on the daily edition and the issue of the sheets of the Revised Hansard. From this last, as a point of departure, the French edition begins to count, again, not a delay, but the interval of time necessary to translate, correct and print it ; consequently there will always be from eight to ten days between the date of the unrevised English edition and the issue of the French revised sheets. It is a misnomer to call that period 'delay'-it is the interval requisite to go through the necessary processes, and, as the Bureau during the session of parliament is worked with a night as well as a day staff, there seems to be no way of shortening it.

The foregoing statement is based upon favourable circumstances and a steady and regular flow of copy ; but there happen times when there is much speaking in French.

The two French reporters cannot, if the French speeches are continuous, write them out in long hand and send them (as the six English reporters can do with the English speeches) down in time to be printed in the present early issue. At the next stage a new obstacle may arise for there is but one English translator, and a French day will overtask him so that he may require several days to catch up.

To the public all that is seen is the interval of time. The cause of a dislocation will never appear on the surface. Four such breaks occurred during last session and, if the following diary be read with attention, it will explain them. During all these pauses in publication the staff was working as fast as it was possible to do.

Statement to show the effect of a continuous series of French speeches on the regular issue of the Revised Edition.

## 1900-

Feb. 23.-French speeches made.
Feb. 24.-The copy of French speeches not down for daily edition.
Feb. 25.-The copy for French speeches of 23 rd came in on Suuday at 8 p.m.46 hours' delay
Feb. 28.-No English translation of French speeches of 23rd.
March 1.-Revised Edition stopped.
March 2.-Revised Edition stopped.
March 3.-Revised Edition stopped.
March 5.-The completion of the translation of French speeches of February 23 reached Bureau. After 10 days Revised Edition can go on.

March 13.-French speeches made. Copy down for Daily.
March 16.-No translation came down.
March 17.-Translation not all down.
March 20.-At 11.45 p.m., Saturday, 18th, the balance of translation copy came down. Sunday intervenes; seven days.

April 19.-French speeches made.
April 20.-French speech made.
April 21.-Copy came down at 1.50 a.m.-in time to get into daily Hansard of 20th at the end.
April 24.-Make-up of Revised Edition stopped. Translation not in.
April 25.-Revised Edition at a standstill.
April 27.-Block continues.
May 1.-The completion of copy for translation of speeches of 19th, came in April 30-eleven days after delivery. Revised Edition goes on.
May 2.-Another block. Completion of translation of a speech of April 20 not in. Make-up stopped.
May 3.-To-day, the copy for completion of translation came in-13 days after delivery.
May 3.-French speaking.
May 8.-Make-up of Revised Edition stopped for want of translation.
May 9.-Still stopped.
May 10.-At 10.45 p.m. of 9 th, copy for translation in. Revised Edition can go on.

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It will be recognized if this somewhat intricate series of processes be studied out that, in spite of anything the translators or printers can do, occasions may arise when the Revised Edition and the French translation of it may fall behind the normal interval. All connected with the publication will be aware of it and the precise circumstances will be set forth in detail day by day in the regular daily reports always sent to the Committee of the House. If the delay were found to be due to neglect, the Committee who are aware of all the facts would apply a remedy.

## The Senate Debates.

The Senate debates are not issued with the same promptness as those of the House of Commons. The rules are not so stringent and are not enforced with the same rigidity. Primarily, however, the difference is chiefly due to the difference in system. While the Senate is sitting the speaking is as continuous in one House as in the other, and the notes cannot be written out concurrently with the debate. The existing rules were adopted on April 21, 1896, and are as follows :-

## RULES FOR PRINTING THE SENATE DEbATES.

1. That the debates continue to be printed in the type now in use.
2. That the present mode of having the debates sent to the reporters in galley form be continued; the Bureau to proof-read by copy before sending out. The reporter shall send to each senator his speech for revision, and to ensure senators' corrections being made to their speeches in the revised edition of the debates, the corrected galleys should be returned to the reporter's office within twenty-four hours of delivery. When that time has elapsed, the reporters shall return the galleys to the Bureau for publication as the revised edition.
3. The revised edition to be printed in double columns as at present and the form of the House of Commons Hansard followed as much as possible.
4. That the book shall be paged consecutively in page, and not by column.
5. The reporters to send to the chief messenger, the whole report of the sitting between 3 o'clock and 6 o'clock, not later than two hours after the sitting is over ; and should there be an evening sitting at 8 o'clock, the report thereof will have to be placed in the chief messenger's care not more than two hours after the adjournment of the Senate.
6. It will be the duty of the chief messenger to see that these reports are at once sent to the Printing Bureau, and that the messenger carrying the same has received a receipt from the proper party at the Bureau charged with the duty of receiving the same.
7. In the messengers' room will be kept a book recording the hour of the delivery of the report by the reporters (the entry to be made by them) to be sent to the Bureau, and also the time it was received at the Bureau, this book to be carried with each message and to be signed by the proper party there.

The Senate debates are now translated into French and issued in an annual volume, but there were arrears to be made up. The copy for the bound volume for 1900 was not complete until August 8, 1901, and the index copy was not ready until September 11, 1901. The copy for the French version of the session of 1901 was completed on October 28, 1901. Now that all the back volumes are translated the work can be kept up closer.

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The following provision has been made for supplying to senators extra copies of any day's debate :-

## Separate Copies.

Rates for copies of the Senate Hansard revised daily edition, when worked together with the copies for the Senate :


In order to be in time for the Senate copies, it will be necessary to send word within two days after the debate.

## Bound Volumes.

These were sent out much earlier this year than ever before. To avoid mistakes the sheets were gathered and sewn into volumes at the Bureau ; but the bindery was so congested with work that the completion of the binding in half calf had to be put out. In this way the volumes, both for the Senate and House of Commons, were delivered in the month of September. So much anxiety was expressed last session by members to have these volumes at the earliest possible moment that it was thought advisable to take this method of meeting their wishes. There is not room enough in the Bindery to put the additional workmen necessary for so prompt a delivery as the House desires.

## THE PRINTING OF PARLIAMENT.

## (DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS.)

The departmental iepoits and all publications known as 'blue-books' (although the copy may be prepared by departmental officers) are printed and published by the authority of Parliament. The requisitions to print are made, and the bills are paid, by officers of Parliament. The mode and style of printing have been settled by Parliament which not only provides for its own use and distribution, but supplies to the departments copies gratis for their use. All are paid for out of a vote not under departmental control and are printed under a statute by the King's Printer as printer to Parliament.

During the last session Parliament and its committees gave much attention to the subject of public printing. In the course of the inquiry 'the King's Printer appeared before the committee and gave a full statement as to the receipts of copy and the return of proofs of work done at the Government Printing Bureau, and also a general explanation pertaining to the working of the various departments. After hearing these explanations, which appeared to the committee to be perfectly satisfactory, it was decided that the King's Printer should furnish to the committee a memorandum of suggestions for aiding and improving the work of the Bureau, and that such should be brought to the notice of the government through a report made to the Senate and House of Commons.'

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The memorandum was submitted and examined and the report was made and was discussed in Parliament. The subject was also extensively noticed in the public press, which is necessarily much concerned in the prompt issue of information on public questions. In order that the facts elicited during the inquiry may not be lost sight of, it will be convenient to dwell upon them at a little length in the annual report of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery. With this object tables A and B, pp. xlii, xliii, post, are appended, showing respectively the dates fixed by statute within which reports must be presented and the dates of actual publication of three of the leading reports compared with the time of assembling of parliament. It is, however, right to point out that a comparison of the dates of publication of similar documents shows that the civil service staffs in Canada are as prompt in getting out their reports as those in England. The fiscal year there closes on March 31. The most important reports are the Customs, the Post Office, and the Inland Revenue, and in these departments the Imperial government staffs are supposed to be exceptionally well organized. Yet these reports for 1899 were not presented to the Imperial Parliament until August 7, 1899, that is in the fifth month after the close of the fiscal year. It will be shown later on that the corresponding Canadian departments have, this year, done quite as well.

Complaints of the late issue of blue-books are of very old date, and are prior to the institution of the Government Printing Bureau. For instance, the following resolution appears upon the Journals of the House of Commons for May 5, 1887 (p. 92). It was nearly at the close of the old system, and it has refard to the inconveniences of previous years :-
' On motion of Mr. Charlton, seconded by Mr. Mitchell,
' Resolved, That the practice now in force, requiring the withholding of blucbooks and departmental reports till the assembling of parliament, results in the suppression, often for periods of many months, of information relating to public affairs which the public interests require should be promptly made public.
'That the blue-books and departmental reports for each fiscal or calendar year should, in future, be made public as soon as practicable after the same are prepared ; and that no unnecessary delay should be permitted to interfere with the issuing of the same.'

The subject engaged the attention of the Joint Committee on Printing, and the following appeared in its report, as adopted by the House. (See Journals, June 16, 1887, p. 305.)
' The committee would respectfully draw attention to the following resolution as passed by the committee :-

Resolved, That it be urged upon the several departments of the government, the prompt publication of their annual reports and other blue-books, so that they may be distributed as early as possible before each session, in accordance with the resolution of the House of Commons, as passed during the present session, on the 5th day of May, 1887.'

The understanding and the wish of parliament in relation to these reports was that they should be got out early and posted to members at their homes as soon as each report could be completed and published.

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From time to time the question would come up in the House, and the idea became current that any delays complained of must be the Printing Bureau. The departments had come to consider it sufficient if their reports were got ready to be presented to parliament in time for the discussion of their estimates; forgetting that all such reports had to be translated into French. This aspect of the subject appealed very strongly to the committee ; but the question in its whole extent was thoroughly inquired into and the following report was made, and was adopted by the House. (Journals, May 14, 1901, p. 280.)
' Mr. Parmelee, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented the fifth report of the said committee, which was read as followeth :-

The committee having investigated various complaints setting forth that there is an unreasonable delay in the translation, printing and distribution of Parliamentary returns and reports in French, beg leave to report :-That after a painstaking inquiry they find that the complaints in question are amply justified.

Returns and reports in French are printed and distributed from six months to a year and a half after they have appeared in English. In the opinion of your Committee such a state of affairs is not creditable to a parliament in which the two languages are on the same footing, nor just to the members and the portion of the population requiring to use them. Your committee are convinced that not only is some reform necessary, but that it might be brought about with slight expense. With that end in view, your committee take the liberty of recommending :-

1. That so far as possible the departmental reports should be prepared in a few weeks at latest after the close of the fiscal year.
2. That in each department issuing a long report there should be a special translator, whose duty it should be to translate from the English copy as fast as it is prepared, so that the English and. French copy might go to the Printing Bureau concurrently.
3. That in view of the fact that the work of the Bureau has outgrown the facilities for handling it, an annex should be built, affording sufficient room for additional plant and presses, and accommodation for all the hands required for the efficient and economical working of the Bureau.

In conclusion, the committee desire to express their belief that if these recommendations are carried out the translation, printing and distribution of returns, reports and documents in French could be done so expeditiously that all cause of complaint would be removed.'

There was a full debate on the adoption of the report, for an extract from which see post, p. xxvi. The trouble complained of was one of very long standing. The extract from the Journal of the House (see ante, p. xvii) shows that it existed before 1887, when there was no Printing Bureau in existence. It was apparent, on inquiry, that the primary source of the inconvenience was in the preparation of the 'copy.' Without 'copy' there can be no printing. The English printing takes time, the translation takes time, and the French printing takes time, and it is not sufficient if a blue-book is got ready in English only just before the estimates come up for discussion.

The subject had been continually presented in the reports of this department. For instance in the report of 1893, at p. 10, the Superintendent of Printing treated it at some length. He said :-
' In the month of October, 1892, four months after the close of the fiscal year, the first copy, forming portions of the tabulated statements of eight of the annual reports,

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was received here. In the month of November, similar portions of six of the reports came in. During the month of December two more were added.
' In the latter part of January, just prior to the opening of parliament, the manuscripts of eight reports were received, thereby completing the reports in English required for the information of members. Thus "printers" copy" of ten of the annual reports was sent to the Bureau during the four weeks previous to the date when parliament assembled for the "despatch of business."
'Reports are oftentimes completed with the exception of the prefatory matter which is held back until a most inconvenient pressure of work occurs ; as an instance, there is a report here at present, that was completed with the exception of a few pages of introductory matter on November 21, over two months ago. On the first day of the session, January 26, 1893, the estimates were tabled. So exceptional and. unlooked for was this, that reports which could have been ready months before by the departments having them in charge, were at once rapidly rushed on to completion, overcrowding the presses and taxing the bindery to its fullest capacity; to such an extent was this carried, that 350 copies of each report, or the quantity required for the immediate use of the House had to be covered and delivered without waiting for the completion of the 1,800 copies ordered for public distribution.
'During the session the passing of the estimates was often delayed, or special items were postponed until the report of the department under discussion was tabled, and meanwhile the delay was attributed to the Printing Bureau, instead of to the fact that copy had been withheld.
' If parliament were always to meet as early as last year it would be impossible to have the chief reports prepared in time for discussion during the passing of the estimates, and yet sufficient copy could not be obtained during the months of October and November last, to keep the hands employed ; in fact a suspension was more than once imminent. A rush of work at one time and a perfect lull at others, causes a hurried call for compositors, succeeded by the hardships incident to their sudden and unexpected suspension.
' It is inevitable, therefore, that the operatives of the Bureau will have to suffer unnecessarily, until the issue of the work by the several departments to this office is more fully systematized; efforts in this direction would tend to produce at least an approach to regularity of employment, a feature much desired by the management, but so far unobtainable.
'The drawbacks above referred to are augmented in the case of the French edition of the reports. It is the rule to send to the translators, the first copy off press, of each forme, or sixteen pages of the English, in order that they may be enabled to keep pace as closely as possible with the English work, but to very little purpose, for as many as eight and ten formes of the English have been held and returned at one time. To the Bureau this means the printing of 32,000 sheets before the regularity of the work can be caught up again, while the translators are embarrassed by an accumulation of matter, consequently the French edition of the reports is delayed an unreasonable time after the issue of the English.'

The above extract sets forth very clearly the causes of the trouble and also points out plainly how the delay of the 'copy' bears upon the French translation.

In his report for 1896, the Queen's Printer said :-
"The "copy" for the departmental reports was sent in very late, and nothing but the late session of parliament prevented the want of them being felt. I beg most respectfully to record my belief that, whenever parliament again meets in January, all the reports will be behind time and the discussion of the estimates will be delayed. Many of the reports were later than ever before.'

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Attention was called to the same subject in his report of 1897 ; and, in that of 1898, it was set forth at pp. 22, 23 in detail with illustrative instances. In 1899 the Queen's Printer was called before the Joint Committee on Printing to account for the lateness of the departmental blue-books. The emergency anticipated, in his report of 1896, had occurred. Parliament had met unexpectedly, although it was as late as March 25. The following extracts from his printed statement will show how simple the explanation was. The complaint then was specially concerning the report of the Auditor General. The Queen's Printer said :-
'While, however, twenty departments, working each with a separate staff, might prepare twenty different reports and might place them simultaneously, in manuscript, upon the Table of the House, it is evident that so many cannot pass simultaneously through the printing office. The condition is presupposed that the copy shall be sent to the printers in time to permit of the printing being done. The departmental reports extend, in English alone, to about twelve thousand pages, two thousand of which are in the Auditor's Report ; and, if the copy for this mass of matter be held back until shortly before parliament meets, it will be impossible to get it ready in printed form within the specified time. An unusual number of reports are ready this year, on account of the intermission, during sixty-two days, of copy for the Auditor General's Report. Under other circumstances these reports would have been behind time, and there would have been ten infractions of the law instead of the one supposed to exist. If the Auditor General's Report is delayed beyond the legal limit, a reference to the appended statement will show that the manuscript copy itself was not all ready within that limit, and it is therefore not surprising if it be not all printed. If there had been no intermission of copy it would have been printed. At the date of this letter (April 11), it is all in type.
' It is respectfully submitted that, in order to get the reports before parliament in the proper time, the copy should be sent in to the printers very much earlier than in recent years. It is submitted that if the habit of delaying the copy be persisted in there must be a crisis whenever an early session of parliament is called. Nothing but the lateness of the recent sessions has covered these increasing delays.'

In the same statement the Queen's Printer gave a detailed account of the passing of the reports through the press. The following extracts will give an idea of the causes of delay :-
' On November 14 every line of every kind of report copy in the Bureau was set. From hour to hour it was hoped that something would come in. The men were put to clearing up and distributing dead matter.
' On December 12 the position at the Bureau became intolerable. There was not one line of copy of any kind of departmental reports, and as no dead matter remained to be distributed, many men were standing idle and thirty compositors were suspended until December 22. Such a thing had never happened before at that time of year.'

And he closed his statement by repeating :
'The Queen's Printer has pointed out every year in his reports, and incessantly in correspondence, that if the continual increasing delays in sending in copy were persisted in, the time would come when the work of parliament would be blocked for want of the necessary reports. Nothing but the late sessions of recent years has prevented serious inconvenience on this account. The time for preparing the departmental reports is before the year closes, and before there is any possibility that a summons of parliament will create a crisis.'

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The bearing of all these delays upon the translation and publication of the French reports was made clear in the debate in the House of Commons, on May 15, 1901 ; (see post, p. xxvi), but in the statement made in 1899, before the Committee on Printing, of the eighth parliament, that aspect of the question was set forth plainly, as follows:-
' A further inconvenience results from the holding back of copy to a late period and sending it to the printing office in a mass, in that all the accumulated delays fall ultimately upon the French translators. Instead of the reports passing, as in former years, steadily through the office from September onward and being sent, sheet by sheet, to be translated, the English sheets are now sent to them in large lots and they are overwhelmed with work, while wonder is expressed that the French reports should be so late. On one occasion during this season twenty-five sheets of proof, or 400 pages, of the Auditor's Report were returned to the Bureau in one day. The French translators complain, with much reason, when such masses are unloaded upon them in turn. No other course is possible when proofs are held back, for when returned they must be printed with the utmost despatch to release the type.?

The departmental reports were notably earlier in 1900, and, at the opening of the session, the government was able to lay an unusual number of them on the Table of the House. But all the 'copy' had come in at once and very late, and, two (the Trade and Navigation tables and the Public Works report) were printed in outside offices. But even then the wish expressed by Parliament in 1887 was not carried out, for what was asked was that members should receive the reports before Parliament meets so that they might read them at their homes. At page 30, post is a table No. 20 , showing, for the session of 1901, the receipt of the first and last copy, the date of signing the last proofs and of the delivery of the complete document. It will be seen that all the reports in their English versions had to be got out within a few weeks. Therefore, they fell in one mass (excepting the tabular reports) upon the translating staff of parliament. The effects of that will be seen in table No. 21, page 32, post, under the heading of French reports.

The following table shows the dates of presentation to parliament at last session, which met on February 6, 1901 :-

## Dates of Presentation of Reports, 1901.

Feb'y 11.-Public Accounts,
Postmaster General,
Inland Revenue-Excise, Weights and Measures,
Interior,
Agriculture,
Public Works,
Marine,
Fisheries,
Indian Affairs.
Feb'y 12.-Justice.

Feb'y 15.-Auditor General.
Feb'y 18.-Trade and Navigation, Railways and Canals.
Feb'y 19.-Secretary of State.
Feb'y 22.-Inland Revenue-Adulteration of Food.
Feb'y 27.-Mounted Police.
March 1.-Militia.
March 4.-Experimental Farms.
March 12.-Trade and Commerce.
March 21.-Printing and Stationery.

Here was, evidently, a great improvement so far as the English reports were concerned ; but the French translators were oppressed by the rapidity with which this whole mass of matter was thrown upon them. The second clause of the report of the Committee aims to provide a remédy for this.

The attention of Parliament having thus been called to the matter, it was not allowed to drop. A circular was sent out in August to all the departments as follows :-

## Joint Committee of Both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, House of Commons, Ottawa, August, 1901.

Sir,-I have the honour to call your attention to what transpired in the Printing Committee and in the House of Commons during last session with regard to the earlier publication of the departmental reports. The main drift of the discussion is contained in the Votes and in Hansard. The opinion was very strongly held that the reports should be prepared earlier than in former years, so as to be printed before the meeting of parliament. If they are held back until a few weeks before the session and then thrown upon the printing office, it is evidently impossible to get them ready in time.

I am therefore instructed to write to you, and to beg that you will give the subject your kind consideration, so that every effort may be made to meet the expressed wishes of parliament.

> Your most obedient servant,
> JOHN A. POLKINGHORNE,
> Clerk of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

The Deputy Minister.
Some of the departments responded to this appeal with the result that on November 1 their reports were in a forward state. This date being four months after the close of the fiscal year is a convenient one for summarizing the progress made. The conditions are so diverse that they cannot be set forth in tabular form.

## State of Blue-books on November 1, 1901.

Auditor General.-All the copy sent in has been set. The parts for Justice, Legislation, Geological Survey and Printing and Stationery are either printed off or waiting for signature of final proof. A small portion of Railways and Canals is in first proof. This makes about 220 pages or about ten per cent of the 2,450 printed pages of the whole work.

Public Accounts.-All the copy received is set. About one-half of the whole.
Trade and Commerce.-A considerable portion of the copy came in on October 29.
Trade and Navigation.-The copy came in from September 10 tn October 15, and was completely set by October 25. All that is wanting is the copy for the index and the short preface.

Inland Revenue.-There are three reports for this department :
Excise.-This was completely set by September 18. It has all been printed off, excepting the preface and the index ; for which copy has not ecme in.
Weights and Measures.-This was completely set by September 25, and all printed except the short preface for which copy has not been received.
Adulteration of Food.-All the copy received was set by October 11. There is more, but not much, copy to come in.

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Railways and Canals.-Copy for parts 2, 3, 4 and 5 has been received and is all set. This is about half the work.

Postmaster General. -All the copy for this report was set by October 11, and much of it was printed off-it is complete excepting the prefatory matter-about 24 pages-and the index ; copy for which is not in.

Interior.-All the copy has been sent in, excepting that for the prefatory matter, for which no copy has come down. It is nearly all in type.
Indian Affairs.-Nearly the whole of the copy is in and much of it is in type.
Civil Service List.-The copy is all in and about half the book is in type.
Nothing had been heard of the other reports ; but the above list shows a great improvement upon former years.

As the end of November approached, seeing that many of the departments had made no response, another circular was sent out from the office of the Joint Committee of Printing.

The extent of the success of this appeal will be manifest during the first week of next session. So far as the Printing Bureau is concerned, there would have been no difficulty if copy had come in early in getting out all the reports. Five more linotype machines have been added since last session, so that there were fifteen machines available until the opening of parliament. It is too late to send in report matter after the work of the session begins. There are five editions of debates to be got out daily besides the bills and routine work. Any belated report matter must then fall to the rear.

Experience has shown that it is by no means superfluous to remark that, in order to publish a book, it is not only necessary that 'copy' should begin, but also that it should stop. Moreover when publication is set for any given day the 'copy' must not only stop before that day, but sufficiently long before it to allow for setting the type, reading the proofs, printing the sheets and binding the book. To overlook this leads to misunderstanding. For instance, in the case of the audit report for 1899. Parliament met on February 1, and that was the date aimed for. The report was all printed then excepting the portion relating to Railways and Canals. In the preface dated February 2, 1900, the Auditor General thus explains it :

## Accounts of Railway Department not yet Printed.

I am sorry that to secure the presentation of most of the report at the beginning of the session it was necessary to leave out part $R$. I cannot give any information as to when that part will be laid before you. The manuscript is all in the hands of the Queen's Printer. The rest of the work will depend altogether on him. He has been continuously supplied with manuscript since October 10.

The fact of the copy having been supplied continuously is the very essence of the matter. It flowed on up to the very day when the book should have been out. There were in all 6,389 folios of closely written foolscap to be set and they came in as follows :-

| In October | 1,706 | folios. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| In November | 1,389 | " |
| In December | 1,205 | " |
|  | 4,300 |  |
| And from January 1 to January 23 | 2,089 | folios.-6389 |

The whole of the 'copy' which had come in up to 10 a.m. of the last day of the year 1899 was in type at the close of the first working day in 1900 . The book itself shows in the dates of the documents printed the continuousness of the 'copy' and that it did not stop up to be very day of the assembling of parliament. Thus may be seen in Part B, p. 67, January 8 ; Part B, p. 72, January 12 ; Part H, p. 60, January 11 ; Part M. p. 78, January 25 ; Part R, p. 306, January 25 ; and Part A, p. 81, January 31 ; then it stopped. The point important to note is that one-third of the total mass of this copy was thrown upon the Printing Bureau between January 2 and January 25, 1900. It is not to be wondered at that a book of 2,011 pages of minion type, of which copy kept coming in until January 31, was not ready to present to parliament on February 1. It is however wonderful that on February 7 the whole book was completely set and out in proof. The proofs were not all returned until February 15, and the proof of the first forme of Part R, which was sent out on December 23, 1899, was not signed for press until February 5, 1900.

In the session of 1901 a discussion arose in the Finance Committee upon a proposition of the Auditor General that his report should be printed in an outside office. It will be well therefore to set forth plainly what this proposition really involves.

The audit report for 1900 attained a bulk of 2,278 pages. A glance at the book will show that it consists of close set matter, almost all tabular in minion type, and that, although there are a few pages of larger type, there are others full of piece fractions. Very little of this can be done by machines, but every letter and figure must be picked up and set by hand. This volume has been measured up as it would have been if it had been set in an outside office, and it was found to measure $17,931,000 \mathrm{ems}$ in English. The whole must be turned into French and then measured over again. Few who see this report realize that it is two reports-that it is not 2,278 pages, but 4,556 pages of solid minion mostly counting double ; full of figures, fractions, and 'sorts,' in such proportions as to render the fount of type useless for setting any other book.

It is easy to talk of such matters, but a million of ems does not convey any definite idea to the mind of any one but a printer. To enable a non-technical mind to grasp the idea of such a mass of printing it may be stated that, when the proposals for tenders for the printing of the province of Ontario were drawn up, the entire composition was estimated at nine million of ems. The whole printing for the largest province of the Dominion must mean a very great deal of printing ; but this report, in English and French, a report of only one department in Ottawa, is very nearly double, for in each edition it counts up seventeen million nine hundred and thirty-one thousand ems.

It may be interesting to note here that, omitting the cost of paper and including the cost of corrections and alterations, the setting and presswork of this report, in both editions, cost at the Bureau $\$ 15,786.85$. The cost (omitting paper) at contract rates in an outside office would have been $\$ 16,975.10$, to which would have been added the extra cost of corrections and alterations from copy. It should furthermore be observed

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that the compositors at the Printing Bureau translated into French, standing at their cases, more than one thousand pages of the English matter which would have cost one dollar a page if put out to be translated.

This involves a further consideration. From motives of economy and to save time, the type of the English version is held until the report can be translated into French. As a simple matter of fact it can be stated that, on January 25, 1900, there were 14,260 pcunds of minion standing in the Printing Bureau in this report alone or over seven tons; and this of type, the proportions of which, render it useless for setting anything but this unique book. It is important that in discussing such a subject the elements of the calculation should be plainly present to the mind.

The cost of the public printing was increased last year by a considerable rise in the price of paper. This rise, however, was limited to printing papers. It did not extend to writing papers or to envelopes or to papers used in making blank books. The great mass of paper purchased being for printing paper, the vote for the printing of parliament required to be larger than before. The rise in price has not been maintained and the last contracts have been put out at lower rates, though not so low as in some years before. The increased çost of the printing of Parliament is not, however, due so much to this cause as to the increase in the amount of printing required. A number of new reports have been added in recent years, and these being on commercial subjects consist of tabular matter, as for instance :

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& \text { Trade and Commerce Report-about. . . . .. . . . . . . .. } 1,000 \\
& \text { Trade and Commerce, monthly bulletin-annually. . .. . . } 952 \\
& \text { Trade and Navigation, monthly bulletin-annually. . . . . . . . 3,628 } \\
& \text { Audit report, increase in last ten years. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1,000 } \\
& \text { French translations of above. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2,000 } \\
& \text { 8,580 }
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Here then are over eight thousand pages of tabular matter annually more than were required ten years ago.

Another cause of increased cost is the growing use of illustrations. These must be printed on coated papers at a much higher price than ordinary printing paper. The figures given at page 24 , show the number of the plates for the last fiscal year. The aggregate cost of these plates was $\$ 2,894$ over and above the cost of the reports as they used to be printed. But even if plates be used they may be used with a regard to economy both of time and money. When a book is sufficiently thin to be wired and the plates are gathered at the ends of sections the cost is limited to the cost of the plates themselves and there is no delay. When, however, a book must be sewed - and more especially when sheets have to be cut open and the plates have to be pasted in, the delay becomes intolerable. Thus a report with ten plates might require 50,000 sheets to be opened up in the bindery and 50,000 plates pasted in before it could be sewed. In the report of the Department of the Interior this year there are 100 plates, but they are placed together at the end of their respective parts and the book could be got out in time for the session. The edition is in round numbers 4,000 copies, and therefore 100 plates to each makes 400,000 plates in all. If these had to be pasted in throughout the volume it is difficult to say at what period the book could be distributed.

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## THE FRENCH REPORTS.

The attention of parliament and the Joint Committee on Printing was especially concentrated upon the tardiness of the publication of the French Reports. The subject was widely discussed in the French newspapers, not always with a full knowledge of the real cause of the difficulty. Much has been said in the previous pages in explanation. The subject is, however, too important and affects too large a proportion of the people of Canada to be passed over without special notice.

The debate of May 15, 1901, upon the adoption of the report elucidates the whole subject so thoroughly that little need be added. The following is an extract :-

From Hansard May 15, 1901.
Mr. C. H. PARMELEE (Shefford) moved :
That the fifth report of the Joint Committee on Printing of Parliament be concurred in.
He said: The recommendations of the committee are of such importance that before this motion passes, I think I should call attention to them. The committee have spent a good deal of time in examining into the state of affairs in connection with the translation, printing and distribution of French documents. As everybody understands, this is a dual language parliament, that is to say, a parliament in which both languages are upon the same footing. For years past we have had complaints -and very reasonable complaints-of the vexatious, unreasonable delays in the printing and distribution of French parliamentary returns and reports. The committee deemed the matter of sufficient importance to make some investigation, in order to ascertain whether some reform could not be brought about which would result in the adoption of a system more creditable to this House and more satisfactory to the people.

The committee have made three recommendations. The first is to the effect that the ministers should try and get their reports out as soon as possible after the close of the fiscal year. The present practice seems to be to delay the preparation of these reports in English until within a very few weeks before the opening of parliament. The manuscript of a very large number of these reports consequently goes to the Printing Bureau almost at the end of the calendar year, and sometimes at the beginning of the next calendar year, or six or seven months after the close of the fiscal year. The result is that the King's Printer puts the whole force of the Bureau on the printing of these documents and returns, and is able to turn them out in time for us to have them at the beginning of the session. But the defect of this system in respect of the translation, printing and distribution of the documents in French is this, that all these returns are then turned over to the translators, so that almost a year's work is put upon the translators at once, and it is utterly impossible for them to have these documents ready in reasonable time. The committee suggest that the ministers should endeavour to hurry up the preparation of their reports so as to have them ready as soon as possible after the close of the fiscal year. In the same connection, the committee have thought that some expedition might be obtained in the larger departments if each of these departments had its own special translator in the department itself, who would be handed the English manuscript copy and go on translating at once. In this way the French and English manuscript could be sent at the same time to the Printing Bureau. If that system were adopted and carried out reasonably well, the great majority of the French reports might be laid on the table at the opening of parliament just as the English reports now are.

This is a matter of principle and right, which warrants us in pressing on the House the necessity of bringing about the reform I have indicated. But I do not
wish to dogmatize as to the particular way the reform should be accomplished so long as it is accomplished.

These suggestions would not be complete without some reference to the Printing Bureau. The volume of work has grown immensely within the last ten years, and so rapidly that it has outrun the facilities of the Bureau and rendered it necessary to provide some additions and greater facilities.

## The MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS. And more machinery.

Mr. PARMELEE. And more machinery should be provided. But with regard to the latter point, the chief trouble is this, that owing to lack of room it is impossible to add any plant. I have visited the Bureau myself several times this session, and while I do not pretend to be more practical than anybody else, I find that the Bureau is too small and crowded in many departments, and is doing its work at great disadvantage. Take the bindery : a good deal of the delay of which we are complaining arises from the fact that the bindery is largely incapable, owing to want of room, to handle the amount of matter that passes through it. To give an idea of the amount of work done, let me point out that in the month of March the Bureau turned out over $\$ 100,000$ worth of printing in connection with parliamentary reports.

Another thing which has helped to congest the Printing Bureau is this. They keep the type of all the voters' lists of Canada standing; and as a result there are 108 tons of type stored away in nooks and corners, which it is very difficult indeed to get at when required. But if the Bureau were enlarged and put in proper shape, that would help very much not only in the distribution of the French documents, but in the handling of the copy generally, judiciously and economically. In this way, the small expense that would be incurred in getting the Bureau on a good working basis would in the end save us a great deal of money.

The MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS. Have you any idea of the cost ?
Mr. PARMELEE. I am not a practical builder myself, but I fancy that the addition we would require-and we might as well build for twenty or twenty-five years to come-would cost $\$ 100,000$, but that I do not consider of any great importance if we can get a proper kind of establishment. In 1894 it was felt that the Printing Bureau was not quite equal to the work it had to do, and the then government had plans prepared for an extension. Of course, we can understand why at that time the plan was not gone on with, and since the present government has taken office, no doubt the ministers have been so busy that this matter has escaped their attention.

The MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORIS. No, I have thought of it many times myself.

Mr. PARMELEE. I hope that as a result of our recommendations, some reasonable endeavour will be made to bring about the reforms I have indicated. As for myself, I do not care so much how these things are done provided they are done, though it has seemed to me, from the cursory investigation I have been able to make during the few weeks of this session, that these recommendations substantially lay the groundwork on which we can carry out the reform desired. I have no doubt that the reform is indeed a most urgent one. It seems to me a shame that in a parliament of this kind documents in French-which our French Canadian compatriots are as much entitled to have on time as we are to have the English reports-should be all the way from six months to one year, and cven two years, behind the publication of the latter.

The PRIME MIINISTER (Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier). The suggestion of my hon. friend from Shefford (Mr. Parmelee) seems both practical and practicable, and I suppose the House will have no objection to adopting the report.

The remarks immediately following in the debate refer more to methods of translating than to printing and need not be reprinted here. The full debate may be read in Hansard.

At this point an examination of table No. 21, at p. 32, post, by the Superintendent of Printing will show the ground of the preceding remarks. The inquiry of the Printing Committee was held early in April, and this table will show that the French reports were not printed because the French copy was not in. Then a reference to the table at p. 30 will show that the copy for the English reports was sent in very late, and that the English reports had to be rushed out so quickly that there was not time to make the translation. While it is quite true that the English matter is sent sheet by sheet to the translators as each sheet comes off the press, it will be seen that because the English copy was late all the English reports were poured upon the translators in a very short time. The commercial reports are changed into French by the printers, who translate them at the case. These are the only French reports, excepting the Public Works report, which had been presented up to April 2, 1901.

It is of course evident that the King's Printer can only print such copy as is in his possession, and it is imperatively necessary that he should print it quickly. The English cannot be held back until the French translations are ready. With the English reports it is possible for the work of the House to go on-without any reports at all it is impossible. Therefore the first copy got is printed-there is nothing else to print. A very serious inconvenience also results in that the translation of one year sometimes laps over into the following one.

The departmental officers who prepare the English copy are not affected by this inconvenience. They know nothing of it and are content if the English version is lead issued in time for the estimates. It is the members of parliament and their constituents upon whom the inconvenience falls.

In the debate of May 15, 1901, it was pointed out that 'translation is a much harder work than people generally believe.' Knowing this there is no delay at the Printing Bureau in sending to the translating staff every single sheet off the press as it is printed, without waiting for the completion of the book. It by some rare chance a sheet should be missed, it would of course be supplied on notice.

## EXTENSION OF THE PRINTING BUREAU.

The urgent need for an extension of the Printing Bureau has been set forth in the reports of the department from the first year of its inception; but in the year 1900 the matter attracted the attention of the Joint Committee on Printing, and subsequently was the subject of a debate upon the adoption of the report of the committee. At p. xviii, ante, will be found the text of the report of the House, and, at p. xxvi, ante, is a portion of the debate. Both extracts refer to the necessity of providing increased facilities for the printing of parliament, besides

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showing the bearing of present conditions upon the French work. The following. extract (Hansard, col. 5203) refers particularly to the extension of the building :-

## Mr. R. HOLMES (West Huron)-

' One of the chief questions that has been before the committee this session has been the delay incident to the publication of the French reports. Every one must admit that the use of the dual language calls for the issuing of the reports concurrently, if possible. But, unfortunately, that has not been possible under existing circumstances. I agree entirely with the amendment that is proposed; but there is a clause in the report to which I think special attention should be called, that is, the necessity of increased accommodation in the Printing Bureau. I do not know how many members of the House have visited the Printing Bureau, but I think it would be in their own interest, and would enlarge their information, if they would visit the Printing Bureau and find out the conditions that exist there. I notice by the report of the King's Printer, year after year, that the present building has been found altogether inadequate for the requirements of the work that is called for. In his report for 1898 he says :
"The present building was designed to accommodate the business of the government as it existed in 1885. No reserve of space was provided to meet the increasing demands of a growing country. The building was filled immediately after its erection. In the meantime the country has grown. The business of the departments has greatly increased, but the facilities provided at the Printing Bureau remain unchanged in some essential particulars. The space occupied is the same; the power of output of the press-room is the same."
'The question has been asked here several times during this session, in reference to the printing of several reports, and the information has been given to the House that certain reports had to be printed outside the Bureau. The reason for that subsequently given has been that the Bureau is so crowded at the present time that it is impossible to put on any more hands ; consequently, when the reports are required with some speed and in proper time, they have to be given out in order to have them done when required. I notice, also, that the King's Printer, in his report for the current year, calls attention to the same difficulty :

[^0]'I notice in subsequent reports that he expresses the same opinion. Now, my object in rising is to direct the attention of the House and the government to the fact that an addition to the Bureau is absolutely necessary, that if the Bureau is to meet the requirements of the House and the country, an addition should be made thereto. The composing room, the bindery, in particular, are so crowded that it is absolutely impossible for the hands that are employed there to work with that facility they would otherwise do if they had more space. It is not for me to suggest what form the addition should take, but it seems to me that there should be, in addition to an extension of the present building, another building provided for storing certain stock they have at the Bureau at the present time. They are compelled to use an attic for storing certain formes, known technically to the printers, which I think are placed in an unsafe condition, and should fire occur, there would be no possibility of saving them. I think, therefore, the House should press upon the attention of :

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the government the necessity of providing as speedily as possible for the demands of increased accommodation in connection with the Bureau, because increased accommodation means that the department will meet the requirements of the public better than it does at the present time.

Mr. E. F. CLARKE (West Toronto). I believe every member of the committee will unite in the recommendations which have been presented by our chairman this morning. If the government desire to have the work of the different departments printed efficiently, expeditiously and economically, it is absolutely necessary that the recommendations of the committee, so far as the enlargement of the building and increased accommodation are concerned, should be carried out immediately. I do not think it is a satisfactory method of doing business to send the reports of the different departments elsewhere, here and there, to be printed, when we have a Bureau where it is intended all this work should be done. That the equipment is sadly deficient in some respects, from the lack of space, is evident to a casual observer. I have taken the liberty on previous occasions of directing the attention of the ministry to the disgraceful accommodation given to the employees in the Bureau, and I hope, in view of the recommendations which have been made this morning, and in view of the unanimity which characterized the members of the committee, and of those who have taken an interest in the work of the Bureau, that the government will make provision before the House rises for a sum sufficient to give the additional accommodation that is so urgently required.

The House adopted the report without a dissenting voice. The full debate may be seen in Hansard for May 15, 1901.

The condition of matters at the last session demonstrated the need of increasing the facilities for public printing. The previous session had been long ; for parliament did not rise until July 18, 1900. The Hansard was larger than ever before, for it extended into three volumes and to 10,510 columns in each of the three editions; daily, revised and French. The Senate debates reached 2,442 columns, so that the total of the Hansards, in one edition, was 12,952 columns, against 7,096 columns of last session. The quantity of other parlimentary printing was proportionately large. There had been $1,033,475$ separate speeches to print ; for it was the last session of that parliament, and in an overloaded press-room and bindery, a million of pamphlet speeches is a great strain.

While the Bureau was struggling to get out the mass of work, parliament was dissolved, and the work of preparing the voters' lists had to be taken up. The time was uncertain and would in any case be short, therefore every thing else had to give way. The lists were got ready in time but the new House met early, and although, by great effort, the English reports were ready two of them had to be done in outside offices, and, as pointed out in another part of this report, the English reports were poured upon the translating staff within a very short time. The very success of the Bureau in getting out the English versions so quickly and in time for the requirements of Parliament was the occasion of the complaints concerning the publication of the French versions.

In the previous portion of this report-that relating to the Blue-books-the growing increase in the cost of the printing of Parliament has been traced to its causes. These were shown to be chiefly the increased quantity printed, the increased illus-

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trations required, the increased cost of printing paper and to these causes must be added a rise in the rate of wages paid. The price of printing paper has since fallen though not quite to the level of two years back. While, however, pointing out the causes of the growing cost of the printing of parliament it is necessary to a complete understanding of the subject to observe that they do not all apply to the printing done for the departments of government, for the simple reason that departmental printing consists mainly of envelopes and of blank forms which are printed on high grade writing paper. There has been no advance-in the price of these classes of supplies, but the price of the paper remains the same, and the prices of envelopes are less than ever before. The same remark applies also to the paper used in blank books. There has indeed been an advance in the wages paid to the operatives, and so far as that applies it has increased the cost of work, but the chief element in the cost of forms and blanks (most of which are kept stereotyped) consists in the paper. Economies are continually being made in handling the work which go far to offset the advance in wages and the introduction of new machines is constantly tending in the same direction. As the work is charged at cost all economies go to diminish the price. There is, however, and so long as the country grows there must be an incessant increase in the quantities required. When a department doubles its operations and agencies it is not reasonable to suppose that the supplies needed can possibly remain the same. There must be some corresponding ratio of consumption. The whole subject will best be illustrated by the Post Office Department, and with that view, attention is invited to Appendix C, at page xliv of this report.

This table shows that there has been a steady increase in the amount of printing and stationery, but that three times in the seventeen years there occurred marked fluctuations when an abnormal decrease was immediately followed by a compensating increase, as in 1886-7, under the former contractors; in 1892-3, at the Bureau, and during the last two years. All the time, however, the Post Office Department was steadily extending its operations over a wider area. To arrive then at the cost the average of the last two years must be taken which is $\$ 57,614$. The following short extract from the table will bring out the leading facts of comparison :-


The number of post offices has increased 30 per cent; the number of money order offices has doubled, and the number of savings banks has doubled. We may safely assume that the business of the old offices has also grown, while the cost of supplies of printing and paper has increased two per cent, taking the average of the last two years.

The table referred to (at p. xliv) shows the money value, but the increase in quantities is given in the following summary of comparisons at three points in the last seven years :-

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Table showing progressive advance in quantities of work for the Post Office Department.

| Years ending June 30. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

The most cursory glance at the two immediately preceding summaries will demonstrate beyond all question the enormous increase in the quantity of work required and delivered and the small comparative increase in the amount of money value.

## FINANCES OF THE PRINTING BUREAU.

While all other services are provided for by a direct vote to the department charged with the service, the supply of the printing and stationery to government is carried on by indirect votes for these objects ; passed in the names of the different departments. Inasmuch, however, as the money voted cannot legally be spent excepting through the Printing Bureau, and the Printing Bureau cannot legally do any work excepting for government, all these votes are, in effect, as much for the Printing Bureau as if they had been direct votes. Hence it has been the custom, from the inception of this department, for the Auditor General to authorize such advances as were necessary to carry on the operations of manufacture. No floating capital had been provided, and such advances against goods delivered or in process of manufacture became the floating capital necessary in all manufacturing businesses, and as such it has been covered and repaid each year. There is no cash passing ; but the repayment is made by the cheques of the departments, to the credit of the Receiver General, drawn against the votes for printing and stationery. The advances up to June 30,1901 , were thus repaid and there was a surplus to carry to the credit of the current fiscal year. Such advances are elementary in business and need no further explanation.

Wages of operatives are paid every fortnight, and all supplies are paid for at the end of every month, or sooner if there is any advantage in doing it. This requires a large outlay. By the Order in Council, however, establishing the Bureau, accounts are rendered to the departments at the end of each month. The departments are then allowed until the 25th of the following month to check their accounts and settle them. Of necessity, there must always be, under the most favourable circumstances, two months of finished and delivered work outstanding unsettled. There must, also always, be likewise carried by the finances of the Bureau all the outlay for time and materials connected with the work in progress. A notable example is the Auditor General's report-a work of 2,200 pages. The copy commences to come in October, but is not finished until February. That is not charged until the end of February and may be settled by the 25 th of March, but must be carried in the interim by the

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finances of the Bureau. Similar conditions apply to all the work printed for government.

The arrangement above described worked perfectly well in practice. Obstacles would be interposed not necessary to dwell upon, and the King's Printer might not know until the last moment whether he would be able to pay wages; but it has happened that the operatives have always been paid. During sessions of parliament when a great deal of work is being done, the government always owes itself a great deal of money, and, while the House was sitting the Auditor General, on April 30, refused the necessary credits. At that very moment the House of Commons alone owed the Bureau $\$ 33,000$ which its officials were unable to pay, the vote being exhausted. As a matter of fact the House did not in the sequel pay up its indebtedness until the Appropriation Bills were passed at the end of the session.

The correspondence on that occasion has been printed in full in the Auditor General's report for this year, part T, pp. 69-71. The House being in session, the matter was explained (see Hansard, 1901, col. 4667) and the following Act was passed:-

CHAP. 18.
An Act to amend the Act respecting the Department of Public Printing and Stationery.
[Assented to 23rd May, 1901.]
His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows :-

1. The Minister of Finance and Receiver General may from time to time authorize the advance to the King's Printer, out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Canada, of such sums of money as the said King's Printer requires to enable him to purchase material for the execution of orders given or requisitions made under the provisions of the Act respecting the Department of Public Printing and Stationery or of Acts in amendment thereof, and to pay the wages of workmen engaged in the execution of such orders or requisitions, before such orders or requisitions are completed and are paid for by the Senate or House of Commons or the Department of the Government of Canada giving them : Provided that the sums so advanced shall not at any time exceed two hundred thousand dollars.

This statute is an express authorization of advances to the amount of $\$ 200,000$, and the current of business went on smoothly until September 27, when the following correspondence arose. It is necessary to the full understanding of the point to say that the Stationery Branch was instituted in 1868 (twenty years before the Printing Bureau or the present department existed) and that it had always carried a stock of paper and stationery which was issued and renewed constantly. This stock amounted, on July 1, 1901, to $\$ 71,485.80$, and had all been paid for in the transactions of the previous fiscal years. It was clear of every charge. Now, however, a perfectly novel issue was raised and the Auditor General claimed that this amount should be deducted from the advance authorized by the Act. This unexpected interpretation of the statute nullified nearly one-half of the provision made by parliament. The following correspondence ensued :-

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Dept. of Publio Printing and Stationery, Ottawa, September 27, 1901.
Sir,-I am informed by the accountant of this department that you have declined to accede to his request for a $\$ 50,000$ credit in order to carry on the work of the department and to pay wages and supply material. I beg to ask that you will be good enough to inform me of your reasons for taking such a step as this.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,
The Auditor General.
S. E. DAWSON, K.P.\& C.S.

Audit Office, Ottawa, September 27, 1901.
Sir,-I have to acknowledge the receipt of your application of yesterday for a letter of credit for $\$ 50,000$. Chapter 18 of the Acts of last session provides that the amount advanced to you for carrying on the work of your department shall not at any time exceed $\$ 200,000$. Your accounts show the following debit balances :-

> King's Printer's Advance Account. . .. . . . . . . . . . . \$ 35,970 75
> Stationery Office Account. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 113,237 90
> Letter of Credit Account (1st Sept.) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 62,940 29
> \$212,148 94

No deposits have come to account for supplies furnished or work done for the various departments during the current year, and until they are received I shall be unable to authorize any further credit.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,
The King's Printer.

> J. L. MODOUGALL, A.G.

Dept. of Publio Printing and StatioNery, Ottawa, September 30, 1901.
Sir,-I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 27 th September, which has probably crossed my letter of inquiry dated the same day. I would observe in reply that the statements in your letter are seriously inaccurate, under the following heads :-

1st. Because the purport of the statute in question was to provide funds and material for the execution of the work ordered by Government, and was not intended to cover the entire stock of stationery which has been carried during the past thirty years by the Government of Canada, from the time of the inception of the Stationery Office. The purview of the Act was intended to extend, and does extend, solely to those operations of manufacture which are carried on for Parliament during recess, and for the departments. The stock of stationery goods which is held in the department and which your officers have checked every year is an asset of Government as solid as anything else the Government holds.

2 nd . It is inaccurate to say that no deposits have come to account for work done during the current year, because on the 1st September $\$ 34,423$ was deposited in the Bank of Montreal against work of this year. All that possibly can be done by me is to deposit the money. I cannot follow it beyond the bank. I would, moreover, observe in this connection that there is a balance of about $\$ 15,000$ to the credit of this department on transactions of last year, having been left over from last year, and, therefore, applicable to the work of this year. These two sums amount to $\$ 49,500$.

3 rd . It is impossible that this department can have had any more advances than it asked for, and the advances asked for this year were three advances of $\$ 50,000$ each. At the very outside, then, not more than $\$ 150,000$ has been advanced in all.

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The conclusion from the above remarks is clearly that the figures of your letter are over $\$ 100,000$ out of the way. Taking the sum total of advances as erroneously laid down in your letter it amounts to
. .\$212,148 94

## From which I deduct-

> Deposited on 1st September ................ $\$ 34,42300$ Stationery stock on hand July 1, as verified by your own officers. . .. . . .. ....... 71,48580 Approximate balance coming over from last year's operations.................. 15,000 00

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The real advance then is. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .\$ 91,240 14
Finally, I have to point out that if I do not quickly obtain from some source the advances requisite to pay the wages of the men and supply paper for the blue books now being prepared for next session of Parliament, the establishment will have to be closed and the public service will be blocked.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,
The Auditor General.
S. E. DAWSON, K.P. \& C.S.

## Audit Office, Ottawa, October 1, 1901.

Sin,-I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of yesterday in reply to mine of 27 th ult., in the matter of your application for a letter of credit for $\$ 50,000$. As regards your contention that the stock in the Stationery Office should not be taken into account in estimating the amount available at any time of the statutory sum of $\$ 200$,000 , I can only say that our interpretation of the Act differs. Your reason for so holding seems to be that the stock is an asset of the Government. So is the building in which you carry on your work, yet it could not be built until an appropriation was voted for the purpose. Let us assume that you find it necessary to largely increase the amount of stock carried. Do you contend that the increase should not be made a charge against the $\$ 200,000$.

I was strictly correct in saying that no deposit had come to account for the current year. The fact that you made a deposit in the Bank of Montreal on the 1st September does not in any way contradict my statement. You must be aware that the Receiver General does not get returns of revenue from the banks of deposit, but receives them from the departments making the deposits, and if you still have the deposit receipt in your possession (iwhich I assume to be the case) how is it possible that they could have come to account?

I did not overlook the credit balance in King's Printer's Advance Account at the beginning of the year, which as a matter of fact is some two thousand dollars more than you state it-the exact figure being $\$ 17,723.94$. The charges to the account since the 1st July are $\$ 53,694.69$, leaving a debit balance of $\$ 35,970.75$, as given in my letter. Then there are the payments in England for Stationery Office, amounting to something over $\$ 14,000$, which you seem to have ignored in considering the amount of adrances in the third head of your letter. Whatever may be the correct interpretation of the amending Act of last ssesion so far as regards the stock in hand at the time of the passing of the Act, it surely camot be urged that future purchases are to be considered as not coming under its provisions.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,
The King's Printer.
J. L. MoDOUGALL, A.G.

## Dept. of Public Printing and Stationery, Ottawa, October 2, 1901.

Sir,-I have the honour to inquire whether it is your intention to issue the credit applied for, for the purpose of carrying on the operation of the Printing Bureau. I beg to point out that in the course of two or three days the wages of the operatives will require to be paid, and unless this credit is issued there will be 500 people put out on the street without the money which is justly due them. And, moreover, the printing in preparation for the coming session is now going on with rapidity, and any interruption or delay will be felt immediately the House opens and all through the session.

I beg most earnestly to protest against the uncalled-for and illegal procedure of stopping a credit which the House of Commons deliberately voted. It was voted, as you will remember, at a time when you had refused a credit for the Bureau, and the House expressed its opinion by voting $\$ 200,000$ as a current credit to carry on current operations. I would, therefore, call upon you to obey the statute and allow the work of Government and of Parliament to proceed. The application for a credit of $\$ 50$,000 is still in your hands.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,
The Auditor General.
S. E. DAWSON, K.P.\& C.S.

Audit Office, Ottawa, October 2, 1901.
Sir,-I have your letter of to-day about the credit. I presume that you did not get mine of yesterday. Your letter does not seem to have been written with a knowledge of what was in mine. I am very glad to give you every assistance in my porver, but the matter is all in your own hands. If you get the receipts brought to account, the credit will issue. It is the duty of your accountant to endeavour to understand what is required. You speak of my illegal procedure, but to me it appears to be legal, and the only course which is legal. I do not desire to delay your work, but on the contrary to expedite it.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,
The King's Printer.
J. L. MoDOUGALI, A.G.

## Dept. of Public Printing and Stationery, Ottawa, October 3, 1901.

Sir,-Your letter dated October 1 did, as you suppose, cross miṇe. It would not, however, have affected my reply. I decline to be drawn into matters of circumlocutory book-keeping or into any extraneous subtleties. My department is concerned with real things, and with pressing business.

The facts are palpable. You have been authorized by Parliament to make advances to the extent of $\$ 200,000$ which is to be recouped by moneys deposited to the credit of the Receiver General. You refuse to do it. You have made three advances, equal in all to $\$ 150,000$, and on the other hand I deposited in the Bank of Montreal on September 1, $\$ 34,423$, and on September $30, \$ 43,561$, in all $\$ 77,984$. Nothing can alter facts so obvious. No discussions can change them, and, therefore, I again call upon you to obey the supreme powers of the state, and so beg to close the correspondence.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

## Audit Office, Ottawa, October 3, 1901.

Sir,-I have just received your letter of this date with reference to the issuing of a credit. I am very sorry that you cannot give time to the question under discussion to enable you to understand it. The accountant of your department was here this morning and he understands part of the case-the part which is important to be known just now. He brought deposit reccipts to the amount of $\$ 77,984$, and I was consequently able, under my interpretation of the law to issue your credit of $\$ 50,000$.

I have quite enough of letter writing to be willing to close a correspondence, under ordinary circumstances, when it is desired, but I did not feel that I could leave an answer, which was so far wrong as yours appeared to me to be, without a reply.

## I am, sir, your obedient servant,

The King's Printer.
J. L. MoDOUGALI, A.G.

The stock which for thirty years had been carried by the Stationery Branch (part of the time under the Department of Finance, part of the time in the Department of State, and lastly in the Department of Public Printing and Stationery) was thus transformed into an 'advance' against the sum authorized for prospective work which, in the terms of the Act, had ' not been completed nor paid for.' The matter stands in this position at present. When work is active during, or just preceding, a session, the whole amount of the credit is necessary. It was named by the King's Printer at the very lowest adequate amount in view of the fact that the Supply Bill is generally voted at the close of the session, after the mass of the printing is either done or approaching completion. If a misinterpretation of the will of Parliament should result in obstructing the work of Parliament, it will be a misfortune beyond the power of the King's Printer to prevent. Already cash discounts amounting to nearly two hundred dollars have been lost on account of the obstruction in the finances of the Bureau.

## THE VOTERS' LISTS.

The ninth general election occurred during the last fiscal year and an entirely new system of franchise law came, for the first time, into operation. The two systems were widely different, and it became necessary to take into account, not only the Dominion law, but the laws of all the provinces concerning the electoral franchise. It is worthy of remark that the causes of controversy in the controverted elections do not arise out of the provisions of the new statute regarding the printing of the ballots or of the voters' lists.

Inconveniences arose from the fact that the Dominion electoral divisions did not correspond with those of the provinces, while the printed lists had to conform to the local lists compiled with reference to provincial divisions. Where the discrepant portions consisted of complete municipalities there was no difficulty in collecting the municipal lists under their proper Dominion heads ; but, when the dividing lines of Dominion electoral districts cut through municipalities, there was no option but to print the lists as found in the provincial divisions and leave to the returning officer the duty of dividing them properly. The officials at Ottawa could not have local know-
ledge to divide them accurately and, unless it could be done accurately, it was better not to make the attempt.

In the maritime provinces no such inconvenience arose. In Quebec there were a few discrepancies and the progressive subdivisior or aggregation of parishes may create more in the future. There were also a number of instances in Ontario ; but the chief difficulty arose in the city of Toronto. The Dominion divisions were based upon wards which have long ceased to exist. The old names, even, of the Dominion wards are gone and the city has been divided into new wards on new lines. It necessarily followed that the lists printed for the divisions of the provincial law did not correspond with the boundaries of the obsolete wards and nothing but accurate local knowledge was able to disentangle them.

In Manitoba and British Columbia, however, the inconvenience was felt more generally inasmuch as, on account of the rapid growth of these provinces, the provincial electoral districts had undergone greater changes and did not correspond either in boundaries or in name with the Dominion divisions. If it had been possible for the officials at Ottawa to possess sufficient local knowledge to adjust the discrepancies at the boundaries of overlapping districts, they had no authority under the law to make the attempt. The matter was settled by local authority and must have been settled correctly for no after questions arose. It happened that in the year 1895 an Electoral Atlas had been compiled in which the boundaries of the Dominion districts were accurately laid down. It was prepared in view of the difficulties which arose in discussing in parliament the details of the Redistribution Act of 1892 and 1893, without any maps in the hands of the members to show graphically what was proposed to be done. The maps in the atlas could be had separately and were found very useful in showing geographically the actually existing Dominion constituencies.

Parliament did not rise until July 18, 1900, and it could not be known whether or not there would be another session or a general election. During the session the printing of the lists had not gone on ; there was not space wherein to put the additional men required to do the work. Inasmuch as it was probable that if there was to be an election first it would be fixed for some date in the fall, the whole staff was put to work at preparing the lists. This of necessity retarded other work going on at the Bureau and caused a congestion of work which could not be overtaken before the assembling of the new Parliament. A number of the lists were therefore done outside in offices in Montreal and Toronto ; for the election was evidently impending and when it would be fixed could not be known. A list of the firms which did the work is given at page 8 post. In the meantime the lists for Untario were in process of revision and kept constantly coming in by detached municipalities, so that there seemed to be no end of the work. The statutory limit of sixty days came in most fortunately when the date of the election was fixed, and September the 1st became a fixed limit. Had it not been for that provision in the law there would have been great confusion.

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Complaint arose that the outside printing was confined to Montreal and Toronto. It could not be otherwise, because the King's Printer being responsible for the accuracy of the lists, he had to send officers accustomed to the work to every place where the lists were being set. He has not a sufficient staff to detach more men from his office on whose care he could rely, and, as it was, the mistakes which were found were mainly in the lists done outside for the hurry was great and the outside offices were not accustomed to the painstaking methods which long experience of such work had established at the Printing Bureau. If the lists are ever to be printed generally in local offices the responsibility should be lifted from the King's Printer, and indeed if no additional accommodation be provided at the Printing Bureau it would be better to face the difficulty while there is time and change the law so as to make local printing universal. In this connection I would invite attention to the system in use in British Columbia. There the voters' lists are finally revised in May and November of each year but, unless a by-election requires it, they are printed in November only. In each November, then, authentic printed lists may be had and, through the courtesy of the King's Printer for the province, I am able to obtain from his standing type accurate lists which, after comparison with the copy sent me by the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, are made at once available for Dominion elections by adding my imprint. If some such method could be extended to the other provinces the vexed question of voters' lists would be disposed of so far as the printing is concerned.

The result for the general election was that 38 lists were printed outside at a cost of $\$ 10,426.78$, and the remaining 160 were printed at the Bureau at a total cost of $\$ 24,927.07$. A number of fractional lists had also to be reprinted for, until the sixty days limit of September 1 was reached, every day brought in new municipal lists to be printed. If that limit had not been provided it would have been necessary to have printed almost all of the Ontario lists over again.

The lists were prepared in good time for the election, although the inconvenience of not having a voters' lists room was very much felt. The room set apart twelve years ago for printing voters' lists was six years ago taken for current work and the standing type is kept in a dark cellar in a far corner of the building. The galleys when wanted are lifted out of the closets and put into specially contrived holders, hoisted up to the third flat on trucks which have to be wheeled twice the length of the building.

In most of the provinces the lists are made up once a year for each whole electoral district and are complete for every whole district at one definite time ; but throughout Ontario they come dropping in by fragments throughout the year as the judges bring them into force by signing them. Something similar occurs in Quebec when contestations arise. Difficulties having arisen on this account, the King's Printer adopted the plan of printing at the end of each list the date and nature of the certificate he found upon the copy he received from the Clerk of the Crown. The certificates are made by the respective Clerks of the Peace and are not uniform. Some certify to the date when
the list came into force ; some to the date when it was received by the clerk and some simply certify that it is a 'true copy' without giving any date. The King's Printer can only give the information he receives and cannot guarantee its accuracy. There should be a uniform form of certificate to give, in Ontario, the date when the judge signed.

It might be supposed that when lists are revised every year that changes wüld be few. Such, however, has not turned out to be the case. The details in the lists for Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba are very minute, and it is evident from the corrections made year by year that the local lists contain very many errors. When an election, however, is impending every error in the initials or spelling of proper names comes up for correction and the assumption is usually made that they occurred at the Printing Bureau, but inasmuch as these were found in most instances to exist in the original lists they could not be corrected at Ottawa. If it were possible to have a uniform heading the printing would be much simplified and many errors eliminated. In the maritime provinces the name is given in each poll without any address, and in British Columbia the name is given with a sufficient address for identification, but, in the three central provinces, the task of reproducing all the particulars of the numbers and subdivisions of lots is very tedious.

## BALLOT PAPERS.

For the first time the paper for the ballots was provided at Ottawa and sent out to the returning officers. For the general election they were sent out by the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, but the law has since been amended and this duty now falls upon the King's Printer. The paper supplied under the statute by the King's Printer for the purpose was of a special make, of the statutory thickness, with a distinctive watermark, of a suitable surface for marking with lead pencil and coloured to prevent the mark showing through. The paper was so made as to cut exactly into ballot size, and instructions, together with model ballots, were sent out to guide the printing. The provisions of the statute were novel and somewhat detailed, but must have been generally carried out successfully although the printing was done in local offices, some of which were not well equipped for such work. A desire was generally expressed that the ballots should be printed at the Bureau. That could not be done and it will never be possible in the short time between nomination and election to cover, from one centre, such a country as Canada with ballot papers complete and containing the names of the candidates. The names at least must always be locally printed.

Since the general election an important change was made in the form of ballot and all the printing but the candidates' names was ordered to be upon the back. Every vestige of a blank place where a mark could be put was abolished ; saving only the places between the heavy black clumps where the names are to be printed. Difficulty was apprehended in getting the requisite details carried out with precision and, as there were only a few by-elections, the King's Printer sent out ballots upon which the main general features were printed leaving only the local information to be

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filled in. All the blank paper was cut away from the face to insure that the spirit of the Act should be carried out, and a model ballot was also sent to the returning officers with such explanations as still seemed advisable. The perforating, numbering and gathering into books of suitable size had still to be done locally ; but it was not necessary to send out clumps for printing the heavy black lines and it was made practically impossible to print the face of the ballots wrong. In this way an attempt was made to meet the views of those who wish to have the ballots printed at the Bureau. It went as far as possible, for there are no facilities in the Bureau for numbering so great a quantity of ballots, nor is there a safe place for storing them away in sufficient mass to serve for a general election. The partly printed ballots used for the by-elections may be considered to be a successful experiment, seeing that no complaints or remarks of any kind concerning them have reached the King's Printer's office.

## PUBLIC PRINTING AT THE OPENING OF THE SESSION.

As the present session of Parliament opens the public printing is complete up to date. No arrears exist. The Debates, English and French, have been distributed. The bound volumes of Sessional Papers for 1901, in both languages, are published with the exception of one volume, which waits receipt of copy for a portion of it. The departmental reports in English are distributed, or are ready to send out with the following exceptions, for which copy came in late:-

> Experimental Farms.
> North-west Mounted Police. Summary Report Geological Survey. Militia and Defence.

Of the French reports the following have been distributed:-

## Postmaster General.

 Inland Revenue-Excise." " Adulteration of Food. " ". Weights and Measures.
Trade and Navigation.
Public Accounts.
Civil Service List.
They were for the most part translated by the compositors at the cases. The men are working upon the translation of the Trade and Commerce and the Auditor General's report. The French versions of the reports of the departments of Public Works, Interior and Indian Affairs are very nearly complete and are in type as far as the copy is in. Portions of the other reports in French are set as far as the copy is in .

> I have the honour to be, sir,
> Your most obedient servant,

S. E. DAWSON.

## APPENDIX A.

Table showing the dates fixed by Statute for the presentation of the Annual Departmental Reports.

| Report. | Statutory Limit. | Authority. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Agriculture.... | 21 days after Session opens............ | R. S. C., Chap. 24, Sec. 6. |
| Auditor General. | 7 days after Session opens, or Jan. 31. if Parliament is sitting | R. S. C., Chap. 29, Sec. 35. |
| Archives | No date fixed |  |
| Civil Service List | 15 days after Session opens | R. S. C., Chap. 17, Sec. 59. |
| Experimental Farms | 21 | " 57, " 10. |
| Fisheries | 15 | " 25, " |
| Geological Survey | No date fixed. |  |
| Interior, | 15 days after Session opens. | R. S. C., Chap. 22, Sec. 6. |
| Indian Affairs | No date fixed |  |
| Inland Revenue, Excise. | 15 days \&.fter Session opens | R. S. C., Chap. 34, Sec. 6. |
| Adulteration. ${ }^{\text {a }}$. ${ }^{\text {a }}$. . | 15 | " " 34, " 6 . |
| Weights and Measures | 15 | " 34, " 6. |
| Militia . | 30 | " 41, if 126. |
| Marine | 15 " | 25, 11. 7. |
| Mounted Police | No date fixed |  |
| Public Works. | 21 days after Session opens | R. S. C., Chap. 36, Sెec. 37. |
| Postmaster General | 10 " | " "1 35, " 78. |
| Penitentiaries | 21 " " | " "1 22, " 3 . |
| Public Accounts | 7 days after Session opens, or Jan. 31. | 29, " 36. |
| Printing and Stationery | No date fixed |  |
| Railways and Canals. | 21 days after Session opens | R. S. C., Chap. 37, Sec. 28. |
| Secretary of State... | 10 " " | $1{ }^{\prime}$ 26, " 6. |
| Shareholders of Banks. | No date fixed. |  |
| Trade and Navigation | 15 days after Session opens. | R. S. C., Customs Act, Sec. 254. |
| Trade and Commerce. | 21 | 1887, Chap. 10, Sec. 5. |
| Unclaimed Balances | No date fixed |  |

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## APPENDIX B.

Table of the dates in each Year, from 1887 to 1901, when the Public Accounts, the Appropriation Accounts and the Trade and Navigation Tables were ready for distribution compared with the dates of the assembling of Parliament.

| For the Fiscal Year ending June 30. | Auditor General's Report. |  | Trade and Navigation Report. |  | Public Accounts. |  | Parliament met. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number } \\ & \text { of } \\ & \text { Pages. } \end{aligned}$ | Date when ready. | Number of Pages. | Date when ready. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Number } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { Pages. } \end{gathered}$ | Date when ready. |  |
| 1887 | 9 9ั8 | Feb. 16, '88 | 1016 | Jan. 24, '88 | 208 | Feb. 8, '88 | Feb. 23, '88 |
| 1888 | 1075 | $\cdots$ - 2, '89 | 1044 | Feb. 1, '89 | 222 | Jan. 2, 89 | Jan. 21, '89 |
| 1889 | 989 | Jan. 19, '90 | 1000 | Dec. 30, '89 | 206 | Dec. 11, '89 | " 16,90 |
| 1890 | 1150 | Mar. 17, '91 | 950 | Feb. 25, '91 | 202 | Jan. 17, '91 | April 29, '91 |
| 1891 | 1411 | "15, '92 | 686 | "19, 192 | 198 | " ${ }^{\text {I }}$ 29, ${ }^{\prime} 92$ | Feb. 25, 92 |
| 1892 | 1303 | Jan. 27, '93 | 692 | Jan. 21, 93 | 214 | Dec. 30,92 | Jan. 26, 93 |
| 1893. | 1656 | Mar. 12, 94 | 698 | Mar. 12, 94 | 192 | -1 30, 93 | Mar. 15, 94 |
| 1st part, 1895 | 1427 | Jan. 29, '96 | 722 | Jan. 14, 96 | 188 | Jan. 11, ${ }_{\text {J }}$ | April 18, ${ }^{\text {Jan }}$ |
| 2nd if 1895 |  | Feb. 18, 96 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1896 | 1781 | Mar. 13, 97 | 786 | Mar. 12, 97 | 185 | Jan. 20, 97 | Mar. 25, ${ }^{9} 97$ |
| 1897 | 1944 | Feb. 10, 98 | 792 | Feb. 9, 98 | 196 | " 3,98 | Feb. 3, 98 |
| 1st part, 1898 | 2028 | April 6, '99 | 1106 | Mar. $20,{ }^{\prime} 99$ | 202 | (1) 20, 99 | Mar. 16, ${ }^{2} 9$ |
| 2nd "1 1898 |  | V1 26, 99 |  |  |  |  |  |
| ist " 1889 | 2011 | Feb. 6, ${ }^{2} 00$ | 1126 | Feb. 27, ${ }^{\prime} 00$ | 204 | Jan. 12, '00 | Feb. 1, '00 |
| 2nd 1900 | 2202 | 15, '01 | 1120 | Feb. 18,01 | 204 | Jan. 9, 01 | Feb. $1 ; 01$ |

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Showing the Cost of Printing and Paper supplied to the Post Office Department compared with the growth of its operations.


## ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH.

Ottawa, November, 1901.

S. E. Dawson, Esq., Lit. D.<br>King's Printer and Controller of Stationery.

Sir,-I have the honour to submit the following report of the transactions of this branch of the department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901.

The following general statement of receipts and expenditure for the fiscal year shows the financial operations of the department as a whole. The usual detailed statements are also appended.

## RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

Statenent of Receipts and Expenditure for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901.

| Receipts. | Amount. | Expenditure. | Amount. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Civil Government- | \& cts. | Civil Government- | \$ cts. |
| Salaries, appropriation | 28,430 00 | Salaries | 28,430 0 ก |
| Contingencies, appropriation | 4,510 00 | Contingencie | 3,513 53 |
| Cleaning appropriation.. | 1,750 60 | Cleaning | 1,725 45 |
| Letter-of-Credit- |  | Miscellaneous |  |
| Canada Gazette, appropriation. ..... | 6,000 00 | Canada Gazette, printing, paper, \&c. | 5,874 20 |
| Distribution of parliamentary documents, appropriation | 1,000 00 | Distribution of parliamentary documents. | 1.,000 00 |
| Plant, appropriation. | 26,000 00 | Plant | 4,914 43 |
| Printing, binding and distributing the laws, appropriation. | 26,000 00 | Laws, printing, binding and distribution.. | 5,995 88 |
| Miscellaneous printing, appropriation | 30,800 00 | Miscellaneous printing | 30,665 83 |
| Franchise Act, appropriation | 42,500 00 | Franchise Act, printing, salaries, \&c. | 38,150 25 |
| King's Printer's advance account | 503,527 37 | King's Printer's advance account, |  |
| Stationery stock. | 259,872 04 | wages, \&c................. ... | 505,536 70 |
| Bilis of Exchange- <br> Sterling-importations of sta | 49,385 07 | Stationery stock, purchases, salaries, $\& c$ |  |
| " " bindery stock. | 2,009 33 | Dominion Government, deposited to | 309,207 11 |
| General Revenue Account-- |  | the credit of the Receiver General. | 831,587 51 |
| Parliamentary publications, proceeds of sales to departments and Parliament | 1,673 43 | Balance unexpended on appropriations as follows :- <br> Civil Government- |  |
| Parliamentary publications, proceeds of all other sales. | 3,339 99 | Contingencies Cleaning | 99647 2455 |
|  |  | Canada Gazctte | 12580 |
| scriptions and, advertisements | 4,700 47 | Laws. | 20,00+ 12 |
| Voters' lists, proceeds of sales. | 93538 | Franchise Act | 4,349 75 |
| Casual revenue, proceeds of sales of waste paper, \&c. | 1,444 12 | Plant Miscellaneous | $\begin{array}{r} 21,08557 \\ 13417 \end{array}$ |
| Printing, work performed for departments and Parliament. | 312,770 52 |  |  |
| Paper used on above work | 135,997 95 |  |  |
| Lithographing, stamping, \&c. | 69,199 93 |  |  |
| Stationery, paper, books, \&c., supplied to departments and Parliament | 301,495 95 |  |  |
| Refund, Civil Government Contingencies.. | 2977 |  |  |
|  | ,813,371 32 |  | 1,813,371 32 |

The details of receipts and expenditure on account of Stationery Branch will be found under their proper headings.

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## CANADA GAZETTVE.

The following is a detailed statement of expenditure and receipts on account of Canada Gazette, for the year 1900-01.

## RECEIPTS.

| Advertisements and sales. | \$ | 4,370 82 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Subscriptions. |  | 32965 |
|  | \$ | 4,700 47 |

## EXPENDITURE.

| Paper used. | \$ | 1,349 79 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Printing and distribution. |  | 4,267 81 |
| Translation, de. |  | 25660 |
|  | \$ | 5,874 20 |

The number of copies issued in the last week of June was 1,625 , of which 97 were sent to paying subscribers, and the remaining gratis to judges, public departments, exchanges, de., de.

I also subjoin a statement of receipts and expenditure on account of Canada Gazette for the years 1874 to 1901, both inclusive.

|  | Expeniditure. |  |  |  |  | Revenue. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Copies gratis. | Sub-scriliers. | Paper. | Printing and Distribution. | Translation. | Subscriptions. | Advertising. | Loss. | Gain. |
|  |  |  | S cts. | S cts. | \$ cts. | \$ cts. | \$ cts. | S cts | \$ cts. |
| 1874 | 1,045 | 77 | 1,142 17 | 2,416 40 | 11945 | 24220 | 93143 | 2,494 69 |  |
| $18 \%$ | 1,077 | 85 | [, 17717 | 2,414 00 | 13555 | 24280 | 81374 | 2,636 13 |  |
| 1876 | 1,049 | 88 | 1,195 98 | 2,301 51 | 18480 14180 | 24180 | 57841 | 2,836 11 |  |
| 1877 | 1,084 | 81 | 1,292 25 | 2,323 2,139 | 14180 125 80 | 22475 <br> 268 | 68162 | 2,743 13 |  |
| 1878 | 1,108 | 79 | 1,016 65 | 2,139 48 | 12580 | 26840 | 68347 | 2,318 53 |  |
| 1879 | 1,115 | 85 | 1,195 21 | 2,203 81 | 12390 | 24650 | 73982 | 2,613 60 |  |
| 1880 | 1,170 | 70 | 1,208 48 | 2,357 72 | 10630 | 24390 | 86538 | 2,538 09 |  |
| 1881 | 1,215 | 68 | 1,197 38 | 2,132 20 | 13740 | 35365 | 1,028 04 | 2,085 29 |  |
| 1882 | 1,238 | 92 | 1,360 61 | 2,261 85 | 19760 | 37844 | 2,706 28 | 73534 |  |
| 1883 | 1,250 | 109 | 1,414 24 | 2,181 48 | 21530 | 36725 | 2,181 53 | 1,262 24 |  |
| 1884 | 1,290 | 85 | 1,428 16 | 2,219 00 | 14824 | 41467 | 6,658 12 | 1,727 48 |  |
| 1885 | 1,321 | 69 | 1,404 76 | 2,243 43 | 16945 | 28985 | 1,264 65 | 2,263 14 |  |
| 1886 | 1,318 | 77 | 1,683 88 | 2,241 65 | 6220 | 29070 | 2,020 82 | 1,676 21 |  |
| 1887 | 1,366 | 84 | 1,797 21 | 2,537 79 | 38910 | 32140 | 2,831 04 | 1,571 66 |  |
| 18.58 | 1,369 | 81 | 2,164 85 | 2,933 57 | 34980 | 31735 | 2,909 72 | 2,231 15 |  |
| 1889 | 1,367 | 83 | 1,883 80 | 2,85.9 19 | 10300 | 30860 | 4,637 49 |  | 9947 |
| 1890 | 1,429 | 71 | 1,758 50 | 3,128 36 | 20400 | 48795 | 2,777 03 | 1,825 88 |  |
| 1891 | 1,436 | 84 | 1,492 62 | 2,060 45 | 21185 | 32418 | 3,309 61 | 33170 |  |
| 1892 | 1,439 | 86 | 1,480 19 | 2,069 36 | 18898 | 31347 | 3,436 32 |  | 11.26 |
| 1893 | 1,426 | 84 | 1,485 71 | 2,826 <br> 2,485 <br> 08 | 24054 26510 | 30650 <br> 298 | 4,612 <br> 3,545 <br> 87 |  | 36655 |
| 1894 1895 | 1,418 | 82 | 1,18366 1,15387 | 2,48508 2,70436 | 26510 | 29873 | 3,54587 4,015 | 8924 | 20656 |
| 1896 | 1,428 | 72 | 1,129 52 | 3,007 00 | 25975 | 27665 | 4,678 69 |  | 55907 |
| 1897 | 1,428 | 72 | 1,129 52 | 3,003 51 | 24540 | 24855 | 4,992 94 |  | 01351 |
| 1898 | 1,438 | 87 | 1,450 21 | 3,803 11 | 33710 | 31270 | 5,574 45 |  | 29673 |
| 1899 | 1,486 | 89 | 94043 | 3,273 01 | 25530 | 32995 | 3,948 65 | 19014 |  |
| 1900 | 1,529 | 96 | 1,092 72 | 3,640 17 | 28950 | 35000 | 4,679 98 |  | 759 |
| 1901 | 1,528 | 97 | 1,349 79 | 4,267 81 | 25660 | 32965 | 4,370 82 | 1,173 73 |  |

## THE STATUTES.

The details of expenditure on account of Statutes are as follows :-


The particulars of distribution, number of copies issued, de., will be found in tables annexed, page 64 and on.

## PRINTING AND BINDING.

For the charges against the several departments, the House of Commons and Senate, for printing, binding, lithographing, stamping, de., I have the honour to refer you to the subjoined tabular statements, $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}$ and C .

A comparative statement for the past five years, from 1896-7 to 1900-1, for both printing and stationery, is subjoined-tables D and E .

I also append a statement of the Voters' Lists for 1900 printed by outside firms, with the amounts paid them-table F.

## ADVERTISING.

The total amount certified by this department for Government advertising during the year ending June 30, 1901, was $\$ 50,790.40$, the details of which are set forth in statement G. These accounts being paid by the several departments for which the advertising is done, the amount is not included in the statement of receipts and expenditure of this department.

The number of advertising accounts audited was 4,718 ; circulars issued 4,323 . There was, moreover, a considerable amount of correspondence in connection therewith.

I also subjoin a statement of the total amount of advertising accounts audited by this office for the years 1876 to 1901, both inclusive.

Calendar Years.

| 1876 | \$ 12,529 27 | 1890............ . 8 | 26,102 48 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1877 | 12,751 56 | 1891 | 27,519 59 |
| 1878 | 20,583 77 | 1892 | 24,819 54 |
| 1879 | 39,676 60 | 1893 | 26,704 27 |
| 1880 | 63,092 50 | 1894 | 26,423 72 |
| 1881 | 30,015 44 | 1895 | 27,424 68 |
| 1882 | 50,605 71 | 1896 | 30,760 76 |
| 1883 | 30,149 31 | 1897 | 35,138 54 |
| 1884 | 39,401 48 | 1898(6 mos.toJune |  |
| 1885 | 33,782 53 | 30, 1898) | 16,312 58 |
| 1886 | 25,102 83 | Fiscal | Years. |
| 1887 | 48,596 03 | 1898-9. | 27,699 72 |
| 1888 | 44,520 30 | 1899-1900 | 46,317 74 |
| 1889 | 35,939 47 | 1900-1901. | 50,790 40 |

## KING'S PRINTER'S ADVANCE ACCOUNT.

The following is the state of this account on June 30 last:-

| Expenditure for the year | 505,536 70 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Credit Balance brought forward from previous year | 5,085 94 |
|  | \$ 500,450 76 |
| Credit Balance to carry to 1901-1902. | 17,517 64 |
| Charged out to Departments and Parliament. | . \$ 517,968 40 |

W. GLIDDON,<br>Accountant.

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## TABLE A.

Comparative cost of Departmental and Parliamentary Printing, de., by Departments, for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1900, and June 30, 1901.

| Department. | Printing and Binding. |  | Paper for same. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1899-1900. | 1900-1901. | 1899-1900. | 1900-1901. |
|  | \$ cts. | \$ cts. | S cts. | \$ cts. |
| Agriculture. | 14,090 85 | 20,001 85 | 6,494 36 | 12,450 70 |
| Auditor General | 41045 | 46211 | 30859 | 51131 |
| Customs. | 7,027 2 ² | 8,791 79 | 9,401 81 | 12,375 48 |
| Departments Generally | 1797 | 2387 | 642 | 1201 |
| Exchequer Court. | 28278 | 68600 | 6374 | 19982 |
| Finance. | 1,754 02 | 1,918 84 | 1,395 65 | 1,240 15 |
| Geological Survey | 4,490 72 | 6,013 17 | 2,612 55 | 2,407 78 |
| Governor General's Secretary | 78.01 | 28921 | 40091 | 53299 |
| Indian Affairs | 1,733 88 | 1,754 01 | 1,364 22 | 1,408 10 |
| Inland Revenue. | 4,116 48 | 5,769 74 | 2,515 97 | 3,935 64 |
| Insurance Branch | 1,565 24 | 2,201 60 | 43808 | 37406 |
| Intercolonial Railway | 90164 | 18421 | 2,118 96 | 53188 |
| Interior | 7,777 16 | 9,583 52 | 6,760 09 | 8,627 9f |
| Justice. | 78188 | 84537 | 41232 | 57579 |
| Library of Parliament | 1,774 71 | 1,756 38 | 5974 | 2248 |
| Marine and Fisheries. | 3,456 77 | 7,379 93 | 2,766 23 | 3,643 19 |
| Militia and Defence. | 5,281 64 | 5,758 28 | 3,554 16 | 3,994 54 |
| Miscellaneous Printing. | 28,315 51 | 24,049 93 | 11,183 15 | 8,343 67 |
| North-west Legislative Assembly. | 16694 | 8738 | 21480 | 9494 |
| " Mounted Police | 80436 | 72080 | 1,156 32 | 77435 |
| Parliamentary | 93,831 31 | 122,102 91 | 15,360 60 | 16,604 56 |
| Penitentiaries. | 71967 | 88375 | 44171 | 31941 |
| Post Office | 21,437 33 | 30,937 77 | 26,202 10 | 36,651 40 |
| Privy Council. | 40478 | 2,345 52 | 39780 | 1,795 90 |
| Public Printing and Stationery | 30,867 03 | 32,682 12 | 4,922 66 | 5,156 32 |
| Public Works | 3,786 03 | 5,158 29 | 2,998 04 | 3,297 75 |
| Railways and Canals | 1,581 88 | 2,399 79 | 96182 | 2,146 14 |
| Secretary of State. | 92167 | 95379 | 41695 | 69029 |
| Senate of Canada | 8,973 75 | 6,634 56 | 499.07 | 50768 |
| Supreme Court. | 2,178 43 | 2,791.16 | 1,014 23 | 91323 |
| Trade and Commerce | 23356 | -29804 | 10161 | 21993 |
| Labour |  | 7,304 83 |  | 5,635 50 |
| Totals. | 249,763 80 | 312,770 52 | 106,544 66 | 135,997 95 |

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TABLE B.
Cost of Departmental and Parliamentary Printing, dc., by quarters, for the years ending June 30,. 1900, and June 30, 1901.

| Quarters. | Printing and Binding. |  | Paper for same. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1899-1900. | 1900-1901. | 1899-1900. | 1900-1901. |
|  | S cts. | \$ cts. | \$ cts | \$ cts. |
| Ending September 30 | 51,083 15 | 39,598 77 | 21,236 11 | 20,913 68 |
| " December 31. | 54,814 04 | 84,241 27 | 26,240 82 | 31,144 80 |
| " March 31 | 65,01036 | 89,495 50 | 25,640 89 | 42,379 34 |
| " June 30. | 78,856 25 | 99,434 98 | 33,426 84 | 41,560 13 |
|  | 249,763 80 | 312,770 52 | 106,544 66 | 135,997 95 |

## TABLE C.

Cost of Lithographic Work, Printing, Stamping, Engraving, dec., dece, ordered through the Department of Public Printing and Stationery, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901.


1－2 EDWARD VII．，A． 1902
D．－Comparative Cost of Departmental and Parliamentary Printing，de．，by Departments，for the last five years ending June 30，

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|  |  |  |  |  |

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E.-Comparative stadement of the Value of Goods issued by the Stationery Office in the last five years.

| Services. | 1896-7. |  | 1897-8. |  | 1898-9. |  | 1899-1900. |  | 1900-1. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Inside. | Outside. | Inside. | Outside. | Inside. | Outside. | Inside. | Outside. | Inside. | Outside. |
| Agriculture | $\$$ cts. <br> 52274 | $\begin{gathered} 8 \text { cts. } \\ , 29321 \end{gathered}$ | $\$$ ets. 86987 | $\$$ cts. 99! 76 | $\$$ cts. <br> 193509 | $\$$ cts. 169353 | \$ cts. <br> 71636 | $\$$ cts. <br> 199767 | \$ cts. | $\$$ cts. 57223 |
| Census... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2,91076 |
| Auditor General | 47889 |  | 54330 |  | 50982 |  | 60194 |  | 57938 |  |
| Charges of Management. |  | 25862 |  | 26237 |  | 35840 |  | 31634 |  | 33237 |
| Clerk of Crown in Chancery.. |  |  | 4463 |  | 9021 |  | 30036 |  | 23592 |  |
| Customs and 'Trade and Commerce | 1,662 43 | 2,956 34 | 2,080 46 | 4,399) 57 | 1,554 01 | 4,353 42 | 1.85006 | 6,466 34 | 1,908 99 | 9,679 23 |
| Departments Generally . . . | 29051 |  | 27937 |  | 24697 |  | 30873 |  | 38405 |  |
| Finance........ . | 74275 | 1788 | 721.51 | 5021 | 66986 | 11373 | (658 )7 | 37562 | 73936 | 10320 |
| Ceological Survey |  | $1,6 \geq 084$ |  | 1,354 55 |  | 1,266 01 |  | 1,548 10 |  | 1,391 49 |
| Govermment House | 45196 |  | 34669 |  | 65868 |  | 26489 |  | 21399 |  |
| Governor General's Office. | 33864 |  | 29938 |  | 27684 |  | 42356 |  | 36450 |  |
| House of Commons. |  | 19,569 37 |  | 10,924 66 |  | 10,631 66 |  | 17,157 42 |  | 18,544 23 |
| Indian Affairs.. | 1,304 34 | 3,969 11 | 1,345 42 | 3,340 90 | 1,350 48 | 3,660 96 | 1,577 29 | 3,999 64 | 1,578 37 | 4,578 42 |
| Inland Revenue | 1,401 35 | 1,362 48 | 1,100 66 | 1,022 48 | 90576 | 1,855 10 | 1,393 61 | 1,604 66 | 1,275 46 | 2,708 68 |
| Interior. | 6,156 75 | 4,154 64 | 7,208 11 | 3,654 28 | 7,081 50 | 7,855 22 | 8,021 01 | 8,805 19 | 9,363 68 | 7,967 77 |
| Tustice...... | 3,988 10 | 3,275 56 | 2,092 65 | 3,775 66 | 2,339 12 | 4,275 07 | 2,53143 | 3,306 $\$ 1$ | 2,534 22 | 4,841 82 |
| Library of Parliament |  | 29801 |  | 23926 |  | 29258 |  | 30658 | 2,531 22 | 20841 |
| Labour |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,829 3\% |  |
| Marine and Fisheries | 2,345 13 | 1,550 34 | 1,800 75 | 1,754 92 | 1,779 26 | 1,773 53 | 2,053 64 | 1,922 01 | 2,038 03 | 2,174 96 |
| Militia and Defence. .... | 1,783 13 | 6,05943 | 2,28087 | 6,521 24 | 1,963 57 | 9,822 07 | 2,162 80 | 11,016 69 | 1,787 52 | 7,195 22 |
| North-west Mounted Police. |  | 2,911 91 |  | 3,20. 25 |  | 4,032 16 |  | 3,490 27 |  | 4,118 08 |
| Post Office. . | 3,588 79 | 11,159 12 | 3,607 29 | 10,310 43 | 7,387 06 | 11,443 75 | 5,649 16 | 11,899 16 | 5,630 37 | 14,878 54 |
| Privy Council . . . . . ........... | 1,401 79 |  | 1,192 53 |  | 1,261 09 |  | 1,556 46 |  | 1,460 94 |  |
| Public Printing and Stationery... | 27210 | 9) 2,05818 | 38125 | 119,437 72 | 46218 | 115,809 99 | 61677 | 113,094 43 | 82332 | 146,417 49 |
| Public Works.................. | 1,626 21 | 7.09965 | 1,639 09 | 7,269 01 | 1,835 52 | 6,719 81 | 3,50880 | 9,067 36 | 3,291 89 | 12,653 52 |
| Railways and Canal | -2,889) 18 | $(6,355) 92$ | 1,865 22 | 8,297 33 | 1,728 64 | 8,542 56 | 4,017 44 | 9,119 16 | 3,51178 | 7,229) 50 |
| Secretary of State. | 1,241 93 |  | 1,02\%) 40 |  | 1,448 78 | 234 01 | 1,110 00 |  | 1,341 47 |  |
| Senate of Canada. |  | 11,211 68 |  | 6,072 38 |  | 7,070 62 |  | 6,27600 |  | 7,544 30 |
| Net total, Outside Service. <br> Inside | 33,52953 | $\begin{array}{rr} 180,532 & 29 \\ 33,529 & 53 \end{array}$ | 31,72446 | $\begin{array}{r} 193,39198 \\ 31,72446 \end{array}$ | 35,18444 | $\begin{array}{r} 201,80418 \\ 35,18444 \end{array}$ | 40,331 28 | $\begin{array}{rr} 211,768 & 95 \\ 40,331 & 28 \end{array}$ | 42,94573 | $\begin{array}{r} 258,550 \\ 42,945 \\ \hline 23 \end{array}$ |
| Net total issue. |  | 214,061 82 |  | 225, 11644 |  | 236,988 62 |  | 252,100 2:3 |  | 301,495 95 |

## TABLE F.

Statemext of Amounts paid for Printing Voters' Lists for 1900 to Firms outside the Bureau.


W. GLIDDON,<br>Accountant.

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TABLE G .
Advertising in Newspapers from July 1, 1900, to June 30, 1901.

| Department. | Ontario. | Quebec. | Nova Scotia. | New <br> Brunswick. | P. E. <br> Island. | Manitoba. | British Columbia | N. W. <br> Territories. | United States. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | \$ cts. | \$ cts. | \$ cts. | \$ cts. | \$ | \$ cts. | \& cts. | \$ cts. | \$ cts | \$ |
| Railways and Canals | 3,576 58 | 2,036 05 | 41679 | 22212 | 5520 | 5471 |  |  |  | 6,361 45 |
| Public Works. | 9,623 39 | 5,323 08 | 1,166 51 | 1,126 72 | 39490 | 18505 | 39455 | 18613 |  | 18,400 33 |
| Mounted Police | 5635 | 8784 | 2228 | 1365 | 1070 | 4620 | 555 | 37929 |  | 62186 |
| Indian Affairs Post Office... | 42457 28190 | 15575 40663 | 2460 36299 | 980 4096 | 300 35 | 39181 | 3025 | 42488 |  | 1,464 66 |
| Marine and Fisheries | 700 | 18465 | 21507 | 164 84 | 3536 5315 | 2618 340 | 3722 <br> 55 <br> 80 | 9842 |  | 1,288 96 |
| Interior... | 25105 | 35180 | 1155 |  | 2240 | 1,460 38 | 29823 | 75410 | 6660 | 3,216 11 |
| Militia and Defence. | 41713 | 21525 | 4825 | 7086 | 1915 | 4555 | 6960 |  |  | 88579 |
| Governor General Justice.......... | 90 550 506 | 19588 |  |  |  | 59 90 | 41 29. |  |  | 9050 |
| Intercolonial Railway | 3,055 77 | 5,362 40 | 3,599 38 | 3,189 05 | 45734 | 34200 | $\stackrel{41}{38}$ | 6229 |  | 1,004 16,064 29 |
| Trade and Commerce. |  | 1875 | 880 | 550 | 2720 |  |  |  |  | 6025 |
| Agriculture | 2850 | 12357 510 | 10115 | 630 |  | . |  |  | . | 25952 |
| House of Commons | 1162 | 7639 | 2300 | 3900 |  |  | $17 \dddot{75}$ | 3150 |  | 19926 |
|  | 4362 | 3659 | 1250 | 2745 |  | 1050 |  | 1410 |  | 14476 |
| Public Printing and Stationery. Secretary of State. | 1860 300 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1860 300 |
|  | 18,446 24 | 14,579 73 | 6,032 22 | 4,946 27 | 1,116 40 | 2,625 68 | 1,008 45 | 1,968 81 | 6660 | 50,790 40 |

## PRINTING BRANCH.

Ottawa, December, 1901.

> S. E. Dawson, Esq., Lit. D.,
> King's Printer, dc., dce.

Sir,-I have the honour to submit a report of the work executed for Parliament in the Printing Branch of the Department during the Session of 1901; and also of the departmental work for the fiscal year, contained in the following tabulated statements :-

1. Annual Reports.
2. Supplementary Reports.
3. Routine Parliamentary work.
4. House of Commons and Senate Debates.
5. Statutes.
6. Pamphlet and Miscellaneous Book-work.
7. Canada Gazette.
8. Voters' Lists.
9. Labour Gazette.
10. Letterpress Departmental work.
11. Summary of Letterpress Departmental work for the twelve months.
12. Plates contained in Annual Reports, 1900-1901.
13. Books bound.
14. Summary of Books bound for the twelve months.
15. Perforating, Numbering and Packing.
16. Pad-making.
17. Summary of Pads for the twelve months.
18. Making, printing and stamping prepaid Post Office Envelopes.
19. Die stamping of Note Headings, Letter Headings and Envelopes.
20. Receipt of Copy and return of Proofs of Annual Departmental Reports (English).
21. Receipt of Copy and return of Proofs of Annual Departmental Reports (French).
22. Statement showing the circulation of proofs of Annual Reports for 1900.

Respectfully submitted,
WM. McMAHON,
Superintendent of Printing.

Table No. 1.-Annual Reports to Parliament, Session of 1901.

| Title of Document. |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number } \\ & \text { of } \\ & \text { Pages. } \end{aligned}$ | Distribution. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Parliament. | Department. | Stock. | Sessional Papers Bound. |
| First Session, Ninth Parliament. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Adulteration of Food-Part III, Inland \{English. | 3,415 | 176 | 2,040 | 500 | 5 | 850 |
| Revenue Report .................. ${ }^{\text {French.* }}$ | 3,415 | 176 | 2,040 | 250 | 15 | 850 |
| Agriculture (with cuts in text)....... . French. | 395 | 172 | , 480 | 150 | 15 | 250 |
| Archives of Canada........ .......... . English. ${ }_{\text {E }}$ | 4,415 | 460 | 2,040 | 1,500 | 25 | 850 |
| And............. Erench.* | 1,245 | 460 | 480 | 500 | 15 | 250 |
| Auditor General's Report. . . . . . . . . . . . \{ \{ $\begin{aligned} & \text { English. } \\ & \text { French. }\end{aligned}$ | 5,290 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,146 \\ & 2,150 \end{aligned}$ | 2,290 480 | 2,000 | 150 | 850 |
| Bank Shareholders | 3,190 | 2,446 | 2,040 | 200 | 100 | 850 |
| Bank Shareholders...................... . French. | 730 | 446 | 480 |  |  | 250 |
| Civil Service List of Canada........... English. | 3,940 | 272 | 2,240 | 600 | 250 | 850 |
| Cin ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 880 | 272 | 480 | 100 | 50 | 250 |
| Civil Service Examiners' Report........ English. | 3,790 | 42 | 2,040 | 200 | 700 | S50 |
| E English. |  | 40 | 400 | 100 | 100 | 200 |
| Criminal Statistics......... ...... IFrench. | 4,140 | 286 | 2,515 | 500 | 25 | 1,100 |
| Estimates of Canada for year 1901-2 ... \{ English. | 3,640 | 90 | 2,140 | 450 | 200 | 850 |
| Estimates of Canada, Supplementary, English. | 3,440 | . 1 | 2,140 | 250 | 200 | 850 |
| 1900-1. ............................. . French. | 730 | 1 | , 480 |  |  | 250 |
| Estimates of Canada, Further Supple- English. | 3,440 | 16 | 2,140 | 250 | 200 | 850 |
| mentary, 1901................... French. | 730 | 16 | 480 |  |  | 250 |
| Estimates of Canada, Supplementary, (English. | 3,340 | 24 | 2,040 | 250 | 200 | 850 |
| 1901-2.......... ... .......... (French. | 730 | 24 | 480 |  |  | 250 |
| Estimates of Canada, Further Supple- English. | 3,180 | 1 | 2,040 | 100 | 200 | 850 |
| mentary, 1901...................... French. | ${ }^{730}$ | 1 | - 480 |  |  | 250 |
| Estimates of Canada, Further Supple- $\{$ English. mentary, 1902............... .......... French, | 3,190 | 2 | 2,040 480 | 100 | 200 | 850 250 |
| Experimental Farm Report (with plates $\int$ English. | 3,915 | 496 | 2,540 | ¢00 | 25 | 850 |
| and cuts in text) ...... ........ .... \|French. | 895 | 492 | 480 | 150 | 15 | 250 |
| Fisheries Report.... ............... . English. | 3,440 | 378 | 2,040 | 500 | 50 | 850 |
| Geographic Board of Canada, 2nd Annual 1 English. | 845 3,415 | 384 45 | 480 2,040 | 100 | 15 | 250 |
| Report ........................ ${ }^{\text {French.* }}$ | 740 | 45 | , 480 |  | 10 | 250 |
| Geological Survey, Summary Report f English. | 4,115 | 206 | 2,040 | 1,200 | 25 | 850 |
| (with 1 map).... . . .............. French. | 740 | 206 | 480 |  | 10 | 250 |
| Index to Sessional Papers, 1900......... \{ English. ${ }^{\text {F }}$ | 12,200 | 16 | 300 |  |  | 11,900 |
| Interior Report (with map, plates and English. | 3,600 3,440 | 16 464 | 100 2,040 | 500 | 50 | 3,500 |
| table)................. .......... T French. | ,855 | 452 | 480 | 100 | 25 | 250 |
| Inland Revenue-Part I, Excise (with f English. | 3,415 | 212 | 2,040 | 500 | 25 | 850 |
| tables )................ ......... ... 1 French. | 995 | 212 | 480 | 250 | 15 | 250 |
| Indian Affairs Report (with map and f English. | 3,615 | 760 | 2,040 | 700 | 25 | 850 |
| plates).............. .... .... ...... . ${ }^{\text {French. }}$ | 770 | 744 | 480 | 25 | 15 | 250 |
| Insurance, Abstract Report. ....... ... English. | 6,640 | 64 | 2,040 | 3,700 | 50 | 850 |
| Insurance, Abstract Report........ ... French. | 730 | 64 | 480 |  |  | 250 |
| Insurance, Full Report................ . English. $^{\text {a }}$ | 6,415 | 612 | 2,040 | 3,500 | 25 | 850 |
| Insurance, | 995 | 612 | 480 | 250 | 15 | 250 |
| Library, Supplementary Catalogue..... $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { English. } \\ \text { French }\end{array}\right.$ | 500 | 104 | 500 |  |  |  |
| arine Report. ........................ f English. | 3,415 | 238 | 2,040 | 500 | 25 | 850 |
|  | 845 | 236 | 480 | 100 | 15 | 250 |
| Militia and Defence. . ............... . English. | 3,640 | 74 | 2,240 | 500 | 50 | 850 |
| North-west Mounted Police-Parts I French. | 945 | 80 | 480 | 200 | 15 | 250 |
| and II. . . .......... ......... .... . French.* | 1,045 | 114 | 2,480 | 300 | 15 | 250 |
| North-west Mounted Police-Part III. \{ English. | 3,690 | 78 | 2,040 | 500 | 300 | 850 |
| est Mounted Police-Part III. . $\{$ French. | 1,080 | 78 | 480 | 300 | 50 | 250 |
| Carried forward ..... ...... | 146,860 | 15,184 | 80,385 | 24,425 | 3,710 | 45,000 |

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Table No. 1.-Annual Reports to Parliament, Session of 1901-Concluded.

| Title of Document. |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Number } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { Pages. } \end{gathered}$ | Distribution. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Parliament. | Department. | Stock. |  |
| Brought forward | 146,860 | 15,184 | 80,385 | 24,425 | 3,710 | 45,000 |
| First Session, Ninth Parliament-Continued. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public Accounts (with table).......... $\{$ \{ English. | 3,590 | 256 | 2,190 | 450 | 100 | 850 |
| Postmaster General's Report...... .... ${ }^{\text {E }}$ English. | 3,640 | 506 | 2,240 | 500 | 50 | 850 |
| Postmaster General's Report...... .... \|French. | 805 | 506 | 480 | 50 | 25 | 250 |
| Penitentiaries Report (Justice).......... \{ English. | 3,165 | 252 | 2,040 | 250 | 25 | 850 |
| Enench. | 3,190 | 202 76 | 2,040 | 50 300 | 15 | 250 |
| Public Printing and Stationery........ F French. | -780 | 76 | 2,40 | ธ0 |  | 250 |
| Railways and Canals (with maps and f English. | 3,540 | 694 | 2,140 | 500 | 50 | 850 |
| tables) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . French. | 955 | 700 | 480 | 200 | 25 | 250 |
| Secretary of State's Report. . . . . . . . . . . \{ English. | 3,315 | 104 | 2,040 | 400 | 25 | 850 |
| , English. | 4,590 | 104 | 2,190 | 100 1,500 | 15 | 250 |
| rade and Commerce. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . I French. | 785 | 960 | , 480 | - 30 | 25 | 250 |
| Unclaimed Bank Balances . ........... English. | 3,215 | 368 | 2,040 | 200 | 125 | 850 |
| Weights, Measures, Lighting-Part II, English. | , 730 | 368 | ${ }_{2} 480$ | 500 | 9 | 250 |
| Inland Revenue Report ............. ${ }^{\text {French. }}$ | 995 | 68 | 480 | 250 | 15 | 250 |
| Totals.. | 186,005 | 22,158 | 103,665 | 29,805 | 4,295 | 54,900 |

Table No. 2.-Supplementary Reports to Parliament, Session of 1901.

| Title of Document. |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Number } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { Pages. } \end{gathered}$ | Distribution. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Parliament. | Department. | Stock. | Sessional Papers bound |
| Canadian Forces in South Africa (with f English. | 5,665 | 216 | 2,040 | 3,500 | 25 | 850 |
| table and maps).......... .......... French. | 1,245 | 228 | -480 | -500 | 15 | 250 |
| Evidence of Experimental Farm officers before the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization (separate issues) :- |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dr. Saunders, director............. $\{$ English. | 15,025 | 48 | $11,350$ | 3,675 |  |  |
| J. W . | 15,025 | 92 | 11,350 | 3,675 |  |  |
| J. W. Robertson, dairy commissioner \{ French.* | 4,975 | 92 | 3,750 | 1,225 |  |  |
| Dr. Fletcher botanist English. | 15,150 | 28 | 14,650 | 500 |  |  |
| Dr. Fletcher, botanist............. . French.* | 4,850 | 28 | 4,850 |  |  |  |
| F. Shutt, chemist.... . . . . . . . . . English. | 15,150 | 40 | 14,650 | 500 |  |  |
| F. Shutt, chemist.... . . . . . . . . $\{$ French.* | 4,850 | 40 | 4,850 |  |  |  |
| A. G. Gilbert, poultry manager..... \{ English. ${ }_{\text {French }}$ * | 15,150 | $\stackrel{24}{24}$ | 14,650 | 500 |  |  |
| J H Grisdale Ericulturist English. | 15,150 | 20 | 14,850 | 500 |  |  |
| J. H. Grisdale, agriculturist ....... \{ French.* | 4,850 | 20 | 14,850 | 50 |  |  |
| W. T. Macoun, horticulturist. ..... . English. $^{\text {* }}$ | 15,150 | 16 | 14,650 | 500 |  | . .... |
| F. | 4,850 | 16 | 4,850 |  |  |  |
| Evidence of Messrs. Pedley and Preston before the Select Standing Corrmittee on Agriculture and Colonization. $\qquad$ | 850 200 | 118 118 |  | 850 200 |  |  |
| Trade and Commerce Bulletin :- |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July, 1900. | 3,215 | 64 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| August, 1900 | 3,215 | 74 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| September, 1900 | 3,215 | 68 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| October, 1900 | 3,215 | 72 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| November, 1900 | 3,215 | 66 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| December, 1900 | 3,215 | 68 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| January, 1901 | 3,215 | 64 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| February, 1901 | 3,215 | 64 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| March, 1901 | 3,215 | 84 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| April, 1901 | 3,215 | 152 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| May, 1901 | 3,215 | 80 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| June, 1901 | 3,215 | 96 | 2,015 | 1,200 |  |  |
| Trade and Navigation, Unrevised Monthly State ments :- |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August, 1900 .................................... | 2,515 | 296 | 2,015 | 500 |  |  |
| September, 1900 | 2,515 | 296 | 2,015 | 500 |  |  |
| October, 1900 | 2,515 | 306 | 2,015 | 500 |  |  |
| November, 1900 | 2,515 | 312 | 2,015 | 500 |  |  |
| December, 1900 | 2,515 | 316 | 2,015 | 500 |  |  |
| January, 1901 | 2,540 | 316 | 2,015 | 500 | 25 |  |
| February, 1901 | 2,815 | 320 | 2,015 | 500 | 300 |  |
| March, 1901 | 2,815 | 320 | 2,015 | 400 | 400 |  |
| April, 1901 | 2,815 | 320 | 2,015 | 400 | 400 |  |
| May, 1901 | 2,815 | 320 | 2,015 | 400 | 400 |  |
| June, 1901 | 2,815 | 320 | 2,015 | 400 | 400 |  |
| Totals. | 218,245 | 5,796 | 178,580 | 37,350 | 1,965 | 1,100 |

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Table No. 3.-Statement showing the Routine Parliamentary Work, Session 1901.

| Title of Document. | Number of Copies. | Number of Pages. | Distribution. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Parliament. | Sessional Papers bound |
| First Session, Ninth Parliament. |  |  |  |  |
| Votes and Proceedings.. ................................. fr $^{\text {English }}$ | 2,577 | 624 | 2,397 | 180 |
| Orders of the Day ............................. . . English. | 619 | 626 |  |  |
| Orders of the Day ........................... ............. ${ }^{\text {I }}$ French. | 169 | 710 |  |  |
| Senate Minutes . . . . . . . . ......................... ..... \{ \{ $\begin{aligned} & \text { English. } \\ & \text { French. }\end{aligned}$ | 2,071 | 570 |  |  |
| Public Bills (Commons) ........ .. ...................... $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { English. } \\ \text { French }\end{array}\right.$ | 2,410 | 194 |  |  |
| Public Bils (Commons) ............................. French. | 505 | 184 |  |  |
| Private Bills (Commons) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { English. } \\ \text { French } .\end{array}\right.$ | ${ }_{250}^{750}$ | 342 326 |  |  |
| Public Bills (Senate) ........................................ $\{$ English. | 2,410 | 24 |  |  |
|  | 505 | 26 |  |  |
| Private Bills (Senate) ..................... ................ ${ }^{\text {F }}$ French. | 250 | 18 |  |  |
| Third Reading Bills (Commons)........................... $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { English. } \\ \text { French. }\end{array}\right.$ | 375 | 336 |  |  |
| Third Reading Bill (Senate) f English. | 475 | 370 42 |  |  |
| Third Reading Bills (Senate).... ................... 1 French. | 175 | 40 |  |  |
| Inquiry by Special Committee of the Senate re Cook charges ( 3 printings of 750 copies each). . | 2,200 | 112 | 2,250 |  |
| Returns (4 for distribution only, 8 for Sessionals only, and 8 English. | 3,065 | 248 | 2,215 | 850 |
| for both)......... . . . . . . ........................... . French. | 790 | 237 | 540 | 250 |
| Divorce cases ( 350 copies each of 2).......... . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 700 | 68 |  | ...... |
| Journals- |  |  |  |  |
| House of Commons . ......... .................... \{ English. | 910 | $4!0$ |  | 910 |
| House of Commons . . . . . . . . .................... \| French. | 255 | 498 |  | 255 |
| App. 1.-Report of Select Standing Committee on f English. | 3,615 | 396 | 2,715 | 900 |
| Agriculture and Colonization (with plates).... (French. | 1,105 | 396 | 855 | 250 |
| Senate............ . . .... ... ... ............... . \{ English. | 900 | 354 |  | 900 |
| French. | 250 | 348 |  | 250 |
| App. 1.-Report of Special Committee of the Senate $\{$ English | 3,140 | 238 | 2,240 | 900 |
| re Cook charges............................. (French. | 1,050 | 248 | 550 | 500 |
| Totals. | 33,562 | 9,329 | 14,341 | 6,215 |

Table No. 4.-Statement showing the work on the House of Commons and Senate Debates, 1901.

| Title of Document. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Number } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { Copies. } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Number } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { Pages. } \end{gathered}$ | Distribution. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | House of Com. mons. | Senate. | Binding | Stock. |
| First Session, Ninth Parliament. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| House of Commons- |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Daily Debates (English)..... | 629 | 3,084 | 517 |  |  | 100 |
| Book Form Debates (English) | 2,770 | 3,396 | 2,070 |  | 600 | 100 |
| Book Form Debates (French). | 475 | 3,252 | 330 |  | 120 | 25 |
| Extra copies of speeches, \&c., ordered by Members and Senators, (aggregate) | 167,430 | 648 | 167,430 |  |  |  |
| Weekly Index to Revised Commons Debates..... | 5,200 | 134 | 400 |  |  |  |
| The Senate- <br> Book Form Debates for 1900 (French) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Book Form Debates for 1900 (French). Daily Debates (English) | 205 1,836 | 1,467 622 |  | 1,816 | 205 | 20 |
| Book Form Debates (English) | 535 | 596 |  | 510 |  | 25 |
| Book Form Debates (French). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 205 | 624 |  |  | 205 |  |
| Totals. | 179,285 | 13,823 | 170,747 | 2,326 | 1,130 | 270 |

Table No. 5.-Statement showing the work on the Statutes, 1901.

| Title of Document. <br> (For distribution see page 64.) | Number of Volumes or Copies. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Number } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { Pages. } \end{gathered}$ | Distribution and Stock. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| The Statutes. |  |  |  |
| me 1 . | 5,300 | 282 | 5,300 |
|  | 1,150 | 282 | 1,150 |
| Volume 2........ .... .. ................ . . . . . . . . . $\{$ English. | 4,600 | 260 | 4,600 |
|  | 900 21,350 | 268 | 900 |
| Separate Chapters, Public and Private Acts (aggregate) $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { French }\end{array}\right.$ | 21,950 | 363 38 | 2,950 |
| Criminal Laws.......................................... English. | 10,000 | 8 | 10,000 |
|  | 2,000 | 8 | 2,000 |
| Totals | 48,250 | 1,509 | 48,250 |

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Table No. 6.-Return of Pamphlets and Miscellaneous Book-work for the Year ended June 30, 1901 (number of copies and pages aggregate).

| Description. | Copies. | Pages. | Copies. | Pages. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Agriculture, Department of- |  |  |  |  |
| Canadian Patent Office Record, Nos. 7 to 12 and index, vol. XXVIII, and Nos. 1 to 6, vol. XIX. | 15,600 | 2,044 |  |  |
| Statistical Year Book of Canada, 1900 (with table and map) English | 5,000 | 640 |  |  |
| Statistical Year Book of Canada, 1900 (with table and map) French | 1,200 | 632 |  |  |
| Patent Act, revised May 2, 1898 (2 orders)............ | 7,000 | 20 |  |  |
| Rules and Forms of the Canadian Patent Office (2 orders). | 6,000 | 32 |  |  |
| Tuberculosis in Cattle (bulletin) English | 1,000 | 12 |  |  |
| Report of the Director of Püblic Frealth. | 1,000 200 | 16 24 |  |  |
| Repert of Cattle Quarantine in Canada. | 200 | 48 |  |  |
| Typhoid Fever in Horses (bulletin).0 | 2,000 | $\delta$ |  |  |
| Instructions to Chief Officers, \&c. (4th Census) | 13,000 | 84 |  |  |
| Apple Culture (bulletin-with maps, and cuts in text) English.. | 46,000 | 76 |  |  |
| Apple Culture (bulletin-with maps, and cuts in text) French | 14,000 | 68 |  |  |
| Table of Chronological Events, English |  | 20 |  |  |
| " ${ }^{\prime}$. French | 50 | 20 |  |  |
| Cold Storage at Creameries (bulletin) English | 500 | 8 |  |  |
| " ${ }^{\prime \prime}$ " French | 1,000 | 8 |  |  |
| Improvement of Cheese Curing Rooms (bulletin) English.. | 5,000 | 16 |  |  |
| " " ${ }^{\text {\% }}$ ( French.. | 3,000 | 16 |  |  |
| Milk for Cheese Factories (bulletin) English. . . . . . . . . . | 10,000 | 8 |  |  |
| Milk for Creameries (bulletin: English | 10,000 5,000 | 8 |  |  |
| " ${ }^{\prime \prime}$ French | 5,000 | 8 |  |  |
| Milk for Cheese Factories (bulletin). | 15,000 | 8 |  |  |
| Trade Mark and Design Act, \&c. (circular) English | 1,000 | 52 |  |  |
|  | 1,000 | 48 |  |  |
| Extract Reports of Experimental Farm Officers, 10 reports (some with plates). | 10,000 | 518 |  |  |
| The Stave Silo (bulletin) English | 44,000 | 12 |  |  |
| " " French. | 14,000 | 12 |  |  |
| Auditor General-- |  |  |  |  |
| Auditor General's Report, 25 parts of 200 copies each | 5,000 | 2,166 |  |  |
| Various Acts, 100 copies each of 21................. | 2,100 | 124 |  |  |
| Customs- |  |  |  |  |
| Customs Tariff, with amendment, to July 7, 1900.. | 2,000 | 96 |  |  |
| " ${ }^{\text {a }}$ May 23, 1901. | 2,000 | 98 |  |  |
| Prefatory Tables, 1900. | 100 | 88 |  |  |
| Preferential Tariff Regulations | 10,00 | 20 |  |  |
| Finance- |  |  |  |  |
| Report of Loan Companies and Building Societies, 1899. | 400 | 230 |  |  |
| Budget Speech, English. | 25,000 | 24 |  |  |
| " French | 5,000 | 24 |  |  |
| Report of Loan Companies and Building Societies, 1900. | 400 | 216 |  |  |
| Report of the Superintendent of Insurance | 3,200 | 122 |  |  |
| Sundry printings | 400 | 120 | 31 | 736 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Report, French, vol. X, part H and index (with plates and maps) | 1,500 | 110 |  |  |
| English, vol. XI, parts D, F, G, J, M and index (with plates and maps) | 21,800 | 384 |  |  |
| " French, vol. XI, parts A, R and S. | 2,250 | 488 |  |  |
| English, vol. XII, part S (with table and diagrams). | 4,300 | 144 |  |  |
| Contributions to Canadian Palæontology, part II of vol. II, and part II of vol. IV | 2,250 | 86 |  |  |
| Summary of Mineral Productions. | 3,500 | 8 |  |  |
| Catalngue of the Marine Invertebrata. | 1,000 | 274 |  |  |
|  |  |  | 36,600 | 1,394 |
| Carried forward. |  |  | 329,000 | 8,544 |

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Table No. 6.-Returx of Pamphlets and Miscellaneous Book-work, de.-Concluded.

| Description. | Copies. | Pages. | Copies. | Pages. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Brought forward |  |  | 671,568 | 21,144 |
| Ruiluays and Canals- |  |  |  |  |
| Canal Statistics (with table). | 200 | 166 |  |  |
| Railway Statistics (with tables). | 500 | 84 |  |  |
| Rules and Regulations of the Government Railways of Canada | 1,000 | 28 |  |  |
| Secretary of State- |  |  | ,70 | 278 |
| Letter re State-Owned Cables | 1,250 | 16 |  |  |
| Senate- |  |  |  |  |
| Various printings, List of Senators, List of Committees, \&c. | 1,350 | 96 | 1350 | 96 |
|  |  |  | 675,868 | 21,534 |

Table No. 7.-Statement showing the work on the Canada Gazette, vol. 34, 1900-1901.

| Title. |
| :---: |
| Canada Gazette $\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ |

Table No. 8.-Statement showing the work on Voters' Lists for 1900.


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Table No. 9.-Statement showing the work on the Labour Gazette, Volume 1.


Table No. 10.-Statement showing Letterpress Departmental Work in Year 1900-1901.

| Department. | JULY. |  | August. |  | September. |  | Octobeh |  | November. |  | December. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Envelopes | Copies. | Envelopes | Copies. | Envelopes | Copies. | Envelopes | Copies. | Envelopes | Copies. | Envelopes | Copies. |
| Agriculture | 31,500 | 60,446 | 14,500 | 34,331 | 6,000 | 31,161 | 42,000 | 6:3,336 | 8,000 | 17,761 | 119,500 | 44,091 |
| Auditor General | 2,000 | 100 | 2,000 | 2,000 |  | 18,675 | 750 | 3,685 |  | 2,175 |  |  |
| Customs. | 282,00e | 295,995 | 115,000 | 555,725 | 25,500 | 554,035 | 40,000 | 96,620 | 10,000 | 184,065 | 51,500 | 626,395 |
| Finance. | 2,000 | 10,832 |  | 33,320 | 1,500 | 28,500 | 6,300 | 17,025 | 2,000 | 10,490 18,800 | 18,500 | 17,790 |
| Geological Survey | 500 | 250 495 | 20,000 | 22,105 |  | 400 | 2500 | 265 | 6,800 | 18,800 |  | 200 |
| Indian Affairs... | 10,300 | 20,895 | 2,850 | 20,800 |  | 2,880 | 2,750 | 47,705 | 10,000 | 15,125 |  | 16,860 |
| Inland Revenue | 42,500 | 54,885 |  | 90,055 | 13,000 | 158,309 | 25,000 | 95,215 | 17,500 | 108,150 | 17,000 | 75,310 |
| Interior | 40,000 | 256,255 | 9,915 | 113,530 | 24,500 | 152,515 |  | 86,340 |  | 161,075 | 50,000 | 92,520 |
| Justice |  | 12,110 | 2,000 | 17,150 | 1,000 | 4,025 | 4,500 | 7,675 |  | 19,375 |  | 7,790 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Marine and Fisheries. | 70,000 | 466,570 | 3,500 | 12,495 | 14,000 | 59,370 | $\stackrel{2,000}{9}$ | 29,735 | 12,500 | 93,370 | 15,000 |  |
| Militia and Defence ${ }^{\text {North-west Mounted }}$ P | 31,000 | 79,610 630 | 17,000 | 80,195 8,020 | 18,000 | 322,635 3,900 | 9,000 | 57,825 25,665 | 2,000 | 25,425 3,000 | 4,000 20,000 | 39,135 6,550 |
| Parliament, Houses of | 3,000 | 8,768 | 4,375 | 136 |  | 3,987 |  | 1,260 | 4,600 | 5,905 | 2,500 | 130,261 |
| Post Office. | 395,750 | 3,166,465 | 263,500 | 2,295,719 | 584,750 | 2,684,995 | 501,500 | 1,005,078 | 114,700 | 1,094,681 | 434,750 | 1,784,762 |
| Privy Council. |  | 1,150 |  |  |  | 1,000 |  |  | 250 | 248 |  | 825 |
| Public Works | 3,000 | 27,595 | 8,050 | 14,880 | 16,500 | 95,680 | 16,625 | 137,867 | 1,000 | 58,770 | 3,100 | 17,335 |
| Railways and Canals. | 50,000 | 33,100 | 29,500 | 82,810 | 9,750 | 14,150 | 5,000 | 19,125 | 11,200 | 24,430 | 101,000 | 48.940 |
| Secretary of State. . | 6,000 | 56,214 | 500 | 11,825 | 2,360 | 21,696 | 3,000 | 489,575 | 5,200 | 32,791 | 5,000 | 37,814 |
| Totals. | 969,550 | 4,552,365 | 492,690 | 3,391,131 | 741,360 | 4,225,162 | 660,92.) | 2,234,046 | 239, 250 | 1,939,606 | 841,850 | 3,028,803 |


| Department. | January. |  | February. |  | March. |  | April. |  | May. |  | June. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Envelopes | Copies. | Envelopes | Copies. | Envelopes | Copies. | Envelopes | Copies. | Envelopes | Copies. | Envelopes | Copies. |
| Agriculture.. | 122,250 | 83,386 | 5! ,500 | 415,353 | 16,000 | 503,686 | 20,500 | 2,4,584 | 13,000 | 83,211 | 17,000 |  |
| Auditor General. | 2,000 | 2,480 | 2,000 | 11,150 |  | 12\% | 20,500 | 3,700 | 13,000 | 83, 211 | 17,000 | 25,000 |
| Customs | 46,500 | 237,375 | 32,000 | 327,900 | 115,500 | 534,3\%0 | 55,000 | 110,910 | 60,000 | 295,728 | 25,000 | 198,800 |
| Finance.. | 5,750 | 23,130 | 500 | 3,160 |  | 56,640 | 10,000 | 7,160 | 1,000 | 9,845 | 2,200 | 6,988 |
| Ceological Survey | 12,000 | 2,900 |  | 10,500 |  |  | 12, 2 2 0 | 17,010 | 1,000 | 2,900 | 2,200 | 1,300 |
| Governor General | 3,350 | 6,618 |  |  | 5800 | 500 | 500 | -250 |  | - |  | 1,350 450 |
| Indian Affairs.. | 15,500 | 22,165 | 10,000 | 41,900 138,690 | 13,300 | 5 4,350 | 21,750 | 27,865 | 6,000 | 57,25) | 1,300 | 19,600 |
| Inland Revenue | 20,000 54,000 | en 2,300 107,325 | 30,000 9,000 | 138,690 135,619 | 30,000 18,000 | 274,9(i) | 45,000 | 366,500 | 2,000 36,300 | 68,550 | 35, 000 | 166,880 |
| Justice.. | -1,000 | 108,085 | 8,500 | 1.e, 3,775 | 18,000 5,500 | 120,320 8,090 | 11,500 | 97,2:5) | 36,300 | 178,011 | 51,000 | 87,543 |
| Labour. | 50,000 | 84,100 |  | 31,845 |  | 25,500 | 18,000 | 58,500 |  | 22,650 | 116,000 | 50,172 |
| Library of Parliament. |  |  |  | 1,075 |  | . . . . . . | 18,000 | 58,.00 |  | 22,0.0 | 116,000 | 98,965 |
| Marine and Jisheries. | 11,000 | 22,570 | 23,000 | 89, 330 | 12,600 | 570,775 | 5,600 | 99,910 | 7,000 | 24,650 | 8,000 | 33, 675 |
| Militia and Defence | 20,000 | 36,990 | 40,000 | 104,35\% | 12,000 | 46,42\% | 1,000 | 40,800 | 5,000 | 61,700 | 65,500 | 131,25) |
| North-west Mounted P |  | 16,980 |  | 27,530 |  | 19,025 |  | 16,850 | 15,000 | 16,350 | 7,000 | 62,440 |
| Parliament, Houses of |  | 30,695 | 6,530 | 182,848 |  | 19,875 |  | 15,238 | 15,000 | 8,1:32 | ,000 | 1,150 |
| Post Otfice. . | 401,600 | 10,398, 290 | 375,500 | 2,888,170 | 192,500 | 1,304,52, | 420,2.0 | 4,493, 0.41 | 449,000 | 3,123, 080 | 112,100 | 2,585,381 |
| Public Works. | 4,500 | 47,855 | 18,814 |  | 5 | . 300 | 4,250 | 500 | 1,250 | 3,180 |  |  |
| Railways and Canals | 1,500 | 40,960 | 5,000 | 14,495 | 14,300 | 53,540 | 6,6 | $\cdots 4,015$ | 5,000 | 85,590 | 6,000 | 54,940 |
| Secretary of State | 24,550 | 39,750 | .,000 | 31,781 | 4,000 | 36,455 | 5,275 | 20,590 | 3,000 | 1,200 82,745 | 2,700 | $\begin{array}{r} 10,475 \\ 8,236 \end{array}$ |
| 'Totals. | 793,500 | 11,286,851 | 620,344 | 4,609,056 | 43!),500 | $3,679,279$ | (6.43,525 | 5,710,128 | 604,550 | 4,150,865 | 45\%,200 | 3,544,628 |

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Table No. 11.-Summary of Letterpress Departmental Work for the Twelve Months.


Table No. 12.-Statement showing the Number of Plates contained in Annual Reports for Year 1900-1901.

| Title. |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Number } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { Copies. } \end{gathered}$ | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Agriculture and Colonization, Report of Select Standing Committee. | 3 | 4,720 | 14,160 |
| Experimental Farms-: |  |  |  |
| Eentral Farm...... | 7 | 60,000 | 420,000 |
| Manitoba. | 2 | 8,000 | 16,000 |
| North-west Territories. |  | 8,000 | 8,000 |
| British Columbia.. | 1 | 6,300 | 6,300 |
| Indian Affairs. | 21 | 4,385 | 92,085 |
| Interior....................... | 19 | 4,295 | 81,605 |
| Mr. Shutt's Evidence before S. S. Committee.. | ${ }^{2}$ | ${ }_{2}^{20,000}$ | 40,000 |
| Mr. Gilbert's Evidence before S. S. Committee Railways and Canals.................... | ${ }_{16}^{1}$ | 20,000 4,495 | 20,000 71,920 |
| Totals. | 84 | 157,005 | 954,980 |

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Table No. 13.-Statement showing Books bound, de., during the Fiscal Year 1900-1901.


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Table No. 13.-Statement showing Books bound, de., during Fiscal Year 1900-1901, -Concluded.


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Table No. 14.-Summary of Books bound for the Twelve Months.

| Month. | Calf. | Koan. | Sheep. | Skiver. | Cloth. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| July . | 779 | 721 | $4 \mathrm{C5}$ | 179 | 5,327 |
| August | 1,027 | 250 | 1,441 | 420 | 2,097 |
| September. | 651 | 268 | 1,591 | 479 | 700 |
| October | 795 | 298 | 452 | 1,543 | 826 |
| November | 977 | 745 | 1,240 | 1,058 | 4,524 |
| Decemiber. | 2,764 | 3,028 | 3,150 | 2,451 | 300 |
| January.. | 452 | 590 | 1,270 | 915 | 3,626 |
| February | 602 | 330 | 977 | 836 | 1,551 |
| March. | 750 | 392 | 12 | 2,362 | 1,875 |
| April | 745 | 294 | 520 | 676 |  |
| May | 698 | 432 |  | 1,038 | 6,522 |
| June | 1,437 | 344 | 326 | 651 | 2,816 |
| Totals | 11,667 | 7,692 | 11,384 | 12,608 | 32,608 |

Table No. 15.-Statement showing the Perforating, Numbering and Packing during the Fiscal Year 1900-1901.


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Table No. 16.-Statement showing the number of Pads made during the fiscal year 1900-1901.

| Department. | 1900. |  |  |  |  | 1901. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | July. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | April. | May. | June. |
| Post Office. | 980 | 1,585 | 25 | 619 | 140 | 1,050 | 312 | 100 | 1,040 | 750 | 1,986 | 50 |
| P. P. and Stationery. | 240 | 105 | 130 |  | 270 | 290 | 18 |  | 3 | 22 | 527 |  |
| Agriculture . . . . . |  | 140 | 20 | 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 132 | 105 |
| Auditor General |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12 | .. |  |
| Customs . |  |  |  |  | 20 | 500 |  |  |  |  |  | 20 |
| Finance... | 6 | 12 | 1 | 6 | 257 |  |  | 16 |  |  | 370 |  |
| Marine and Fisheries. | 20 | 90 | . |  |  | 90 | 80 | 50 | 33 | 125 | 110 | 35 |
| Indian Affairs . ...... | 12 | $\because 0$ |  | 12 |  | 6 | 500 | 200 |  |  |  |  |
| Inland Revenue. | 107 | 60 | 20 |  |  | 32 |  | 74 | 30 | 207 |  | 52 |
| Interior | 12 | 25 |  | 200 | 84 | 100 | 1,100 | 190 | 150 |  | 45 | 70 |
| Justice. | 289 | 117 | 68 | 248 | 106 |  | 150 | 25 | 65 |  | 12 | 74 |
| Mounted Police |  | 100 |  | 50 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 100 |
| Public Works. |  |  | 72 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 600 |
| Railways and Canals. | 140 |  |  | 96 | 49 | 25 | 48 |  | 72 |  | 1,100 | 600 |
| Secretary of State.... |  |  |  | 50 | 100 | .... | 128 |  | 10 |  |  |  |
| House of Commons. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12 | 5 | 32 | .... |  |  |
| Senate. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 150 |  |
| Militia and Defence... | 200 | .... |  |  | 20 |  | ..... |  |  | $\ldots$ | 50 | 54 |
|  | 2,004 | 2,238 | 336 | 1,291 | 1,146 | 2,093 | 2,348 | 766 | 1,435 | 1,116 | 4,592 | 1,160 |

Table No. 17.-Summary of Pads for the Twelve Months.

|  | Month. | Quantity. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| July. |  | 2,004 |
| August. |  | 2,238 |
| September |  | 336 |
| October. |  | 1,291 |
| November. |  | 1,146 |
| December. |  | 2,093 |
| January |  | 2,348 |
| February.. |  | 766 |
| March |  | 1,435 |
| April. |  | 1,116 |
| May... |  | 4,592 |
| June. |  | 1,160 |
|  |  | 20,525 |

Table No. 18.-Statement showing the Making, Printing and Stamping of Prepaid Post Office Envelopes from July 1, 1900, to June 30, 1901.

| Denomination. | Quantity Made. | Quantity Stamped. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Envelopes (1 cent) " ( 2 cents) | $\begin{aligned} & 110,000 \\ & 550,000 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110,000 \\ & 550,000 \end{aligned}$ |
| Totals | 660,000 | 660,000 |

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Table No. 19.-.Statement showing the die Stamping of Note and Letter Headings, and Envelopés, from July 1, 1900, to June 30, 1901.

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline Department. \& Foolseap. \& Half-cap. \& Letter. \& Half-letter. \& Note. \& Half-note. \& $$
\begin{gathered}
\text { Number } \\
\text { of } \\
\text { of } \mathrm{mpressions.}
\end{gathered}
$$ \& $$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { Number } \\
& \text { of } \\
& \text { Envelopes. }
\end{aligned}
$$ <br>
\hline \& R. Q. S. \& R. Q. \% \& R. Q. S. \& R. Q. S. \& R. Q. S. \& R. Q. S. \& \& <br>
\hline Agriculture. \& 10 \& \& 4 \& 5015 \& $\begin{array}{llll}24 & 3 & 8\end{array}$ \& \& 71,625 \& 27,625 <br>
\hline Customs....... \& \& \& \& $18 \quad 116$ \& 11 \& \& 500
24,960 \& <br>
\hline Finance \& \& \& \& $\begin{array}{llll}17 & 13 & 8\end{array}$ \& $4 \quad 3 \quad 8$ \& 1 .. . \& 18,460 \& 7,500 <br>
\hline Geological Survey \& \& 20 \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
\hline Governor General \& 1010 \& 2 \& 3 \& $\begin{array}{crrr}6 & 12 & 12 \\ 13 & 3 & 8\end{array}$ \& 56 \& \& 61,190

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\hline Inland Revenue \& 4 \& \& \& \& 2 .. \& \& 2,880 \& <br>
\hline Intercolonial Railway (passes). \& \& \& \& \& \& \& 3,700 \& <br>
\hline Interior \& \& \& 2 .. .. \& \& \& \& 124,140 \& 58,500 <br>
\hline Justice.... M Marine and Fisheries. \& \& $5{ }^{5} \quad 6616$ \& \& $\begin{array}{llll}30 & 5 & 20\end{array}$ \& ${ }^{9} 10$ \& 15 \& 38,260 \& 16,000 <br>
\hline Marine and Fisheries. \& \& $\begin{array}{lll}11 & 9 & 4 \\ 26 & 17 & \end{array}$ \& \& $\begin{array}{lll}11 & 13 & 8\end{array}$ \& $\begin{array}{lll}1 & 8 & 8\end{array}$ \& \& 21,980 \& 10,200 <br>
\hline Militia and Defence. ${ }_{\text {North-west Mounted Police. }}$ \& \& $26 \quad 17 \quad 12$ \& 110 \& 31 \& 910 \& \& 52,660 \& 19,600 <br>
\hline North-west Mounted Police..
Post office............. \& \& \& \& \& \& \& 15,760 \& 10,000 <br>
\hline Post office.. \& \& \& \& 11088 \& 4116 \& \& 104,920 \& 46,000 <br>
\hline Privy Council ... \& \& 7 . $\quad \cdot$ \& \& $\begin{array}{llll}43 & 17 & 12\end{array}$ \& 18 .. \& \& 55,900 \& 19,100 <br>
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Public Works............. \& \& - 32 \& \& $\begin{array}{llll}3 & 13 & 2 \\ { }_{13} & 13 & 8\end{array}$ \& \& \& 12,473 \& 10,635 <br>
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\hline Railways and Canals \& \& \& \& $51 \begin{array}{lll}51 & 10\end{array}$ \& \& \& 41,620 \& 10,500 <br>

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| Agriculture. | Dec. 5, 1900. | Dec. 21, 1900. | Jan. 14, 1901. | Jan. 16, 1901 | Jan. 23, 1901 | Feb. fi, 1901 | copy received. | See Schedu |
| Auditor General | Sept. 11, 1900. | Feb. 8, 1901. | Feb. 8, 1901. | Feb. 11, 1901. | Feb. 11, 1901 | Felo. 14, 1901 | *Trans. mostly in | See Schedule A. |
| Civil Service List | Oct. 6, 1900. | Nov. 19, 1900. | Nov. 19, 1900. | Nov. 30, 1900. | Nov. 30, 1900 | Dec. 17, 1900 | French distributed |  |
| Experimental Farm. | Jan. 3, 1901. | Jan. 25, 1901. | Feb. 7, 1901. | Feb. 19, 1901. | Feb. 20, 1901. | Mar. 4, 1901. | +February 20, 1901 | See Schedule M. |
| Fisheries. | Nov. 13, 1900. | Jan. 7, 1901. | Jan. 15, 1901. | Jan. 18, 1901. | Jan. 19. 1901 | Jan. 25, 1901 | $\ddagger$ March 4, 1.901 | See Schedule F. |
| Geological Survey | Jan. 18, 1901. | Feb. 4, 1901. |  |  |  |  | No copy receive | See Schedule G. |
| Interior | Nov. 5, 1900. | Dec. 28, 1900. | Jan. 4, 1901. | Jan. 5, 1901. | Jan. 7, 1901 | Jan. 14, 1901 | $\ddagger$ January, 29, 1901 | See Schedule H. |
| Inland RevenueExcise | Oct. 20, 1900. | Dec. 15, 1900. | Dec. 15, 1900. | Dec. 15, 1900. | Dec. 26, 1900 | Jan. 21, 1901 | ranslated in Bureau. |  |
| Adulteration of Food | Jan. 21, 1901. | Jan. 21, 1901 |  | Feb. 16, 1901 | Feb. 20, 1901. | Feb. 22, 1901 | All in type. <br> No copy received. |  |
| Weights and Measure | Nov. 23, 1900. | Nov. 23, 1900. | Nov. 23, 1900. | Dec. 6, 1900. | Dec. 11, 1900 | Dec. 27, 1900 | *Translated in Bureau. |  |
| Justice | Oct. 25, 1900. | Dec. 11, 1900. | Dec. 11, 1900. | Dec. 12, 1900. | Dec. 13, 1900. | Dec. 22, 1900 | No copy received. | See Schedule |
| Indian Affairs | Nov. 20, 1900. | Dec. 14. 1900 | Jan. 14, 1901. | Jan. 18, 1901. | Jan. 18, 1901. | Jan. 30, 1901. | +December 22, 1900 | See Schedule L . |
| Marine | Dec. 3, 1900 | Jan. 23, 1901. | Jan. 23, 1901. | Jan. 24, 1901. | Jan. 25, 1901. | Jan. 31, 1901 | No copy received | See Schedule K. |
| Militia | Dec. 27, 1900. | Feb. 6, 1901. | Feb. 6, 1901. | Feb. 22, 1901. | Feb. 23, 1901. | Feb. 28, 1901 | No copy received. | See Schedule D. |
| Mounted Police. | Feb. 4, 1901. | Feb. 21, 1901. | Feb. 21, 1901. | Feb. 22, 1901. | Feb. 22, 1901. | Feb. 27, 1901 | No copy received | See Schedule I. |
| Public Accounts | Oct. 20, 1900. | Dec. 14, 1900. | Dec. 14, 1900. | Jan. 2, 1901 | Jan. 4, 1901. | Jan. 9, 1901 | *Translated in Burean. All in type. |  |

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| Postmaster General: | Sept. 26, 1900. | Dec. 22, 1900. | Dec. 24, 1900. | Dec. 27, 1900 | Dec. 28, 1900. | Jan. 5, 1901. | *Translated in Bureau. All in type. | Sce Schedule E. |
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| Public Works. |  |  |  |  |  | Feb. 11, 1901. | Not printed in Bureau. |  |
| Railways and Canals. | Nov. 1, 1900. | Jan. 30, 1901 | jan. 30, 1901. | Feb. 12, 1901. | Feb. 13, 1901. | Feb. 18, 1901. | No copy received. . . . | See Schedule B. |
| Secretary of State | Jan. 18, 1901. | Jan. 24, 1901. | Feb. 7, 1901. | Feb. 11, 1901. | Feb. 11, 1901. | Feb. 19, 1901. | No copy received. |  |
| Trade and Navigation |  |  |  |  |  | Feb. 18, 1901 | Not printed in Bureau. |  |
| Trade and Commerce | Nov. 13, 1900. | Feb. 28, 1901. | Feb. 28, 1901. | Mar. 5, 1901. | Mar. 5, 1901. | Mar. 12, 1901 | *Translated in Bureau. Work being done. | See Schedule C. |

* The translation of the tabular matter of these reports was done in the Printing Bureau, by the compositors, as is customary.
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Table No. 21.-Statement showing the receipt of Copy and the return of Proofs of French Annual Departmental Reports for 1900,

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| Agriculture. | A pril 1, 1901. | Not in.. | Not in. |  |  |  |  |
| Auditor General |  |  |  |  |  |  | * Translated mostly in Bureau. Work being done. |
| Civil Serviee List.. | Dec. 21, 1900. |  |  | Jan. 30, 1901. | Jan. 31, 1901.. | Feb. 9, 1901 |  |
| Experimental Farm. | Feb. 20, 1901. | Not in. | Not in. |  |  |  | + Only a portion of copy received. |
| Fisheries | Mar. 4, 1901. | Not in. | Not in.. . |  | .... |  | $\ddagger$ Only a portion of copy received. |
| Geological Survey |  |  |  |  |  |  | No copy received. |
| Interior | Jan. 29, 1901. | Not in. | Not in. |  |  |  | $\ddagger$ Only a portion of copy received. |
| Inland Revenue- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Excise. |  |  |  | Jan. 19, 1901 | Jan. 21, 1901. | Feb. 11, 1901. | * Translated in Bureau and distributed. |
| Weights and Measures |  |  |  | Jan. 15, 1901 | Jan. 17, 1901. | Feb. 11, 1901. | * Translated in Bureau and distributed. |
| Adulteration of Food |  |  |  |  |  |  | No copy received. |
| Justice.. |  |  |  |  |  |  | No copy received. |
| Indian Affairs |  |  |  |  |  |  | Only a portion of copy received. |
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| Militia. |  |  |  |  |  |  | No copy received. |
| Mounted Police. |  |  |  |  |  |  | No copy received. |
| Public Accounts. |  |  |  |  |  | Feb. 8, 1901 | * Translated in Bureau and distributed. |
| Postmaster General. |  |  |  |  |  | April 2, 1901 | * Translated in Bureau and distributed. |

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No. 22.-Statements showing the circulation of proofs in page in the preparation of Annual Departmental Reports for 1900.

SCHEDULE A.-AUDITOR GENERAL'S REPORT.
Part A.-Preface and Treasury Board Overrulings.


Part B.-Executive Regulations and Statements.


Pakt C.-Appropriation Accounts.


Part D.-Agriculture.


Part E.-Audit Office.


Part F.-Customs.


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Part G. -Finance.


Part H.-Geological Survey.


Part: I.-Governor General's Office.
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Part J.-Indian Affairs.


Part K.-Inlani Revenue.


Part L.-Interior.


AUDITOR GENERAL'S REPORT-Continued.
Part M.-Justice.


Part O.-Legislation.


Part P.-Marine and Fisheries.

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Part Q.-Militia and Defence.


Part R.-North-west Mounted Police.


[^5]AUDITOR GENERAL'S REPORT-Continued.
Part S.-Post Office.

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Part T.-Printing and Stationery.


Part U.- Privy Council.


Part V.-Public Works.

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Part W.-Railways and Canals.

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Part X.-Secretary of State.


Part $Y$.-Trade and Commerce.

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SCHEDULE B.-RAILWAYS AND CANALS.


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SCHEDULE G-SUMMARY REPORT-GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.


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## SCHFDULE H.-INTERIOR.

Part I.


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SCHEDULE I.-NORTH-WEST MOUNTED POLICE.
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Part III.-Yukon Territory.


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SCHEDULE M.-EXPERIMENTAL FARM.

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## STATIONERY BRANCH.

Ottawa, December, 1901.

S. E. Dawson, Esq., Litr. D.,<br>King's Printer and Controller of Stationery.

Sir,-I have the honour to submit for your information, a general statement of the accounts of this branch for the year ending June 30, 1901, as follows, viz. :-


372,981 75
By goods issued to departments, inside . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 42,945 73
King's Printer's work account, Printing Branch....... 142,421 20
Stock on hand, June 30, 1901, verified................. 71,485 80
372,981 75
The comparative statement ' C ' shows the following decreases, viz. :-
Agriculture-Experimental Farms ....................... \& 12249
". Year Book...................... . ......... 6315
" - Paris Exposition............................ 28695
Trade and Commerce...................................... 2773
Finance-Insurance Branch . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 27242
Governor General's Office.................................. . . 5906
Government House. ....................................... . . . 5090
Inland Revenue, Inside . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 11815
Justice............................... ...................... . 7707
" Penitentiary Branch . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 505
" Kingston Penitentiary............................ . . 16505
" Prince Albert Jail................................. 5014
" Exchequer Court ................................... . . 19493
Marine and Fisheries-Inside............................. 1561
Militia and Defence—Inside.............................. . . 37528
" 6 Outside.............................. 3,509 19
Privy Council.............................................. . . 9552
" Clerk of the Crown in Chancery ......... 6444
Public Works-Inside..................................... 21691
Railways and Canals-Inside.............................. . 50566
" " Intercolonial Railway........... 2,225 86
Post Office-Inside......................................... . 1879
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Comparative statement ' C '-Concluded
Secretary of State-High Commissioner for Canada in
London ..... 1530
" " International Conference ..... 2989
Geological Survey ..... 15661
Interior-Outside ..... 1,976 13
" Yukon Provisional District ..... 27070
Library of Parliament ..... 9817
Auditor General's Office. ..... 2256
Militia and Defence-South Africa ..... 31228
$\$ 11,40199$
The comparative statement ' C ' also shows the following increases, viz.:-
\& 33681
" Quarantine ..... 17196
" Dairying ..... 54991
" Glasgow Exposition ..... 4089
" Pan American Exposition ..... 28439
" Census ..... 2,910 76
Customs-Inside ..... 7866
" Outside ..... 3,212 89
Finance ..... 8039
" Charges of Management ..... 1603
Inland Revenue-Outside ..... 1,104 02
Justice-Solicitor General ..... 8491
" St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary ..... 11189
" Dorchester Penitentiary ..... 4019
" Manitoba ..... 8677
" British Columbia " ..... 840
" Regina Jail ..... 1729
" Supreme Court ..... 26576
" Dominion Police ..... 2869
" Yukon Library ..... 57069
" Miscellaneous ..... 2595
" Regina Law Library ..... 79000
Marine and Fisheries-Outside ..... 25295
Public Works- Outside ..... 3,586 16
Railways and Canals-Outside ..... 33620
Post Office-Outside ..... 2,979 38
Secretary of State ..... 23139
" Registrar's Branch ..... 2898
" Civil Service Examiners ..... 1126
" . Chinese Commission ..... 503
Public Printing and Stationery ..... 20655
" " Outside ..... 2,121 33
" ". .. Work Book Account. ... 31,701 ..... 73

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| Comparative statement ' C '--Concluded. |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Interior-Inside. | 1,342 67 |
| " North-west Government. | 1,361 84 |
| " Immigration | 4757 |
| Indian Affairs | 108 |
| " Outside | 28794 |
| " School Supplies | 29084 |
| Departments Generally. | 7532 |
| North-west Mounted Police | 12321 |
| " ، Yukon | 50460 |
| Senate of Canada | 1,268 30 |
| House of Commons | 1,386 81 |
| Labour | 1,829 32 |
|  | 60,797 71 |
| From which deduct net decrease | 11,401 99 |
| Leaving a net increase of | $49,395 \quad 72$ |

Last year I had the honour to point out what was at that time considered a large increase in the business of this branch of the department, over that of the preceding year, viz., $\$ 15,111.61$. This year, however, far exceeds anything yet reached in the history of the department, the increase being $\$ 49,395.72$, as shown in statement ' C '.

The advance in the contract price of parliamentary printing paper, together with an increased demand for general stationery from the departments, more particularly the outside service, would account for $\$ 21,693.99$. There still, however, remains a balance of $\$ 27,701.73$, which is attributable to the extra demand for paper from the printing branch for use in connection with the printing of books, forms, icc., for the two houses of parliament and the various departments.

This large increased expenditure has of necessity involved extra labour on the part of those who are responsible for the proper carrying on of the work, and yet the staff is practically the same as in the past two years.

During the latter part of the year just ended, a system of immediate payments upon receipt of goods, was inaugurated, whereby I was enabled to take advantage of the ten and thirty day cash discounts as allowed to the trade generally. The saving made in this short period of time amounted to $\$ 700.49$. A much better showing will undoubtedly be made when this system has been in operation for the full year. Details of all accounts will be found in the statements hereunto annexed, viz. :-
' A' A statement of expenditure and issue by months for the year ending June 30, 1901.
' B ' A general statement of expenditure and issue of goods.
' C ' A comparative statement of the issue of goods for the financial years 1899-1900 and 1900-1901.
' D' A general statement of accounts for the year ending June 30, 1901.
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' E ' Comparative statement of business transacted in the stationery office from 1886-87 up to 1900-1901.
' F ' Distribution of Statutes for 1900.
'G' Sales of Revised Statutes, \&cc., during 1900-01.
'H' Sales of yearly Statutes during 1900-01.
' I' Sales of Departmental reports during 1900-01.
During the year demands on the office have reached 23,$227 ; 6,856$ letters were received and 13,689 were mailed ; packages despatched by mail, 16,382 , and packages and cases sent by rail, 1,038 .

The whole respectfully submitted.
F. GOULDTHRITE,

Superintendent of Stationery.

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A.-Statement of Expenditure for, and Issue of Goods in each month of the year ended June 30, 1901.

B.-General Statement of Accounts, exhibiting Details of Expenditure for Goods received, and Value of Goods issued to the Civil

| Class of Goods. | Goods received during the Year ended June 30, 1901. |  | Departments. |  | Goods Issued <br> During the Year ended |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Departments. | Outside. |
|  | £ s. d. | \$ cts. |  |  |  |  | \$ cts. | \$ cts. |
| To Book papers | 88937 | 13,337 25 |  | Agriculture ............ ${ }^{\text {a }}$. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 2,053 17 |  |
| Large and small post papers. | $\begin{array}{llll}727 & 5 & 2\end{array}$ | 6,649 82 |  | " Experimental Furms |  | 457 68 08 |
| Double foolscap " |  | $\begin{array}{r}7,148 \\ \hline 16\end{array}$ |  | " Paris Exposition. |  | 68 372 39 |
| Foolscay Tinted | $\begin{array}{rrr}74 & 17 & 4 \\ 13 & 9 & 4\end{array}$ | 16,664 21 |  | ", Quarantine...iGi.... |  | 37259 4089 |
| Special | 420136 | 6,948 27 |  | ", Dairying .......... |  | 1,348 72 |
| Loan | 36119 | 7,267 57 |  | Pan American Exposition |  | 28439 |
| Printing | 7121411 | 53,019 21 |  | 11 Census |  | 2,910 76 |
| Cut | 280166 | 1,112 43 |  | Customs | 1,280 29 | 9,679 23 |
| B. B. |  | 3,483 24 |  | Trade and Commerce. | 62870 |  |
| B. B. envelopes |  | 3,248 89 |  | Finance | 73936 |  |
| Blotting papers | 3911111 | 53080 |  | " Insurance Branch |  | 10320 |
| Cartridge " | $\begin{array}{lll}26 & 5 & 0\end{array}$ |  |  | " Charges of Management |  | 33237 |
| Copying ${ }^{\text {Drawing }}$ | 1651310 | 2.44479 |  | Governor General's Office. | 36150 213 |  |
| Mranilla " |  | 9,635 83 |  | Inland Revenue. | 1,275 46 | 2,708 68 |
| Envelopes.. | 454114 | 28,757 39 |  | Justice | 2,044 31 |  |
| Blank books | $43 \quad 6 \quad 7$ | 11,413 01 |  | " Solicitor General | 41349 |  |
| Baskets. | 59170 | 75393 |  | " Penitentiary Branch | 7642 |  |
| Sundries ' B | 12180 | 1,032 21 |  | " Kinuston Penitentiary |  | 71185 |
| Buckram. | 230137 | 19438 |  | " St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary | .. | 54391 |
| Sundries ' C ' | 74151 | 14701 |  | " Dorchester Penitentiary |  | 18228 |
| Cards and cardboards | 1740 | 1,595 06 |  | " Stony Mountain Penitentiary | - ........ | 18943 |
| Drawing instruments, \&c | $\begin{array}{llll}1,025 & 3 & 7\end{array}$ | 5,960 92 |  | " New Westminster Penitentiary |  | $\begin{array}{r}179 \\ 1,025 \\ \hline 18\end{array}$ |
| Sundries ' D'........... | $\begin{array}{rrrr}7 & 4 \\ 89 \\ 0 & 10\end{array}$ |  |  | ", Supreme Court. ...... |  | 1,025 126 |
| Elastic bands.......... | 98 9 | 5,240 50 |  | ", Yukon Library.. |  | 89984 |
| Sundries ' E '. | 24411 | 42890 |  | " Dominion Police |  | 8077 |
| Files. | 1308 | 5,161 80 |  | " Regina Law Library |  | 79000 |
| Fasteners. | 11100 | 1,027 75 |  | " Regina Jail. |  | 3766 |
| Folders | 30146 |  |  | ". Miscellaneous |  | 7475 |
| cum | $5 \begin{array}{lll}5 & 3 & 4\end{array}$ | 1,390 59 |  | Marine and Fisheries | 2,038 03 | 2,174 96 |
| Gum bottles and brushes | 1546 | 7789 |  | Militia and Defence | 1,78752 | 7,195 22 |
| Ink | 134128 | 1,813 24 |  | Privy Council | 1,460 94 |  |

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| Inkstands | 137174 | 32647 | Public Works | 3,291 89 | 12,653 52 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Knives | 78136 | 3190 | Railways and Canals. | 3,511 78 | 2,410 88 |
| Copying material | $7 \begin{array}{lll}7 & 5 & 0\end{array}$ | 1,654 30 | " " Intercolonial Railway |  | 4,818 62 |
| Sundries ' $\mathrm{L}^{\text {L }}$, $;$. | 320148 | 52217 | Post Office. | 5,630 37 | 14,878 54 |
| " ' ${ }^{\text {M }}$, | 49184 | 1,937 27 | Secretary of State | 1,157 38 |  |
|  | 11170 | 26064 | " Registrar's Branch . | 9931 |  |
| Pens..... | $\begin{array}{llll}374 & 9 & 9!\end{array}$ | 2,691 27 | " High Commissioner for Canada |  |  |
| Pencils. | $\begin{array}{lllll}358 & 7 & 31\end{array}$ | 1,679 79 | " Civil Service Examiners. | 5103 |  |
| Parchment | $29211^{-1}$ |  | ", Chinese Commission | 2872 |  |
| Sundries ' P | 19108 | 1,192 06 | Public Printing and Stationery... | 82332 |  |
| " ' R ' | 3880 | 7903 | " " Work-book Account |  | 4,49629 142,42120 |
| Stamps, \&c. |  | 2,134 43 | Geological Survey. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | 142,42120 1,391 |
| Scissors. | 60108 | 45211 | Interior | 9,363 68 |  |
| Sundries 'S' | 6731910 | 39989 | " Dominion Lands. | 9,808 | 30566 |
| School books and materials. |  | 2,466 58 | (1)North-west Government. |  | 3,386 73 |
| Twine.. | 47.10 | 7,542 65 | (1) Immigration. |  | 1,01439 |
| Sundries ' $T$ '. | 2885 | 1,138 54 | Indian Affairs. | 1,578 37 | 1,775 78 |
| Typewriters and materials |  | 21,264 68 | " School Supplies.. |  | 2,802 64 |
| Books of reference Miscellaneous | $\begin{array}{cccc}505 & 3 & 7 \\ 35 & 4 & 5\end{array}$ | $9,85831$ | Departments Generally ...... | 38405 |  |
| Marine insurance. | 34 64 |  | Library of Parliament | 57938 | 20841 |
| Freight.......... |  | 4,376 25 | Nırth-west Mounted Police. |  |  |
| Cases and charges. | $15119 \quad 9$ | 1400 | " ${ }^{\text {a }}$ " Yukon. |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2,54372 \\ & 1,57436 \end{aligned}$ |
| Discount.. | 10,909 18 7 <br> 762 3 21 <br> 1   | $\begin{array}{r} 259,51438 \\ 5,433 \\ 45 \end{array}$ | Senate of Canada <br> House of Commons. | 23592 | $7,54430$ |
|  | 10,147 15 | 254,080 93 | bo | 1,829 32 |  |
| Cash discount ............... |  | 69976 |  | 42,945 73 | 258,550 22 |
|  | 10,147 $12 \quad 41$ | 253,381 17 |  |  | 42,945 73 |
|  |  | 49,385 07 |  |  | 301,495 95 |
| Difference in exchange. |  | 302,76624 002 | Stock on hand, June 30, 1901, verified. |  | 71,485 80 |
| Stock on hand, July 1, 1900 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 302,76626 \\ 60,16331 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |
| Wages, \&c., charged against stock. Balance profit | ............. | $\begin{array}{ll} 6,490 & 87 \\ 3.561 & 31 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |
|  |  | 372,981 75 |  |  | 372,981 75 |
|  |  |  | F. GOULDTH |  |  |
| . |  |  | Superint | nt of Sta | nery. |

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C.-Comparative Statement of the issue of Goods to the Departments in the Years ended June 30, 1899-1900 and 1900-1901.

| Departments. | Issued in 1899-1900. |  | Issued in 1900-1901. |  | Increase in 1900-1901. |  | Decrease in 1900-1901. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Departments. | Outside Service. | Departments. | Outside Service. | Departments. | Outside Service. | Departments. | Outside Service. |
|  | \$ cts. | \$ cts. | \$ cts. | \$ et | \$ cts. | \$ cts. | \$ cts. | 8 |
| Agriculture | 1,716 36 |  | 2,053 17 |  | 33681 |  |  |  |
| Experimental Farms |  | 580 <br> 200 <br> 0 |  | 45756 37259 |  |  |  | 122 |
| Dairying... |  | 79881 |  | 1,348 72 |  | 54991 |  |  |
| Year Book....... |  | 6315 |  |  |  |  | ... .... | (63 15 |
| Paris Exposition,... |  | 35503 | .... | 6808 40 89 |  | 4089 |  | 28695 |
| Pan-American Exposition |  |  |  | 28439 |  | 28439 |  |  |
| Census. |  |  |  | 2,910 76 |  | 2,910 76 |  |  |
|  | 1,201 63 | 6,466 34 | 1,280 29 | 9,679 23 | 7866 | 3,212 89 |  |  |
| Trade and Commerce. | 65643 |  |  |  | 80 |  | 27 |  |
| Finance.............. | 65897 | 37562 | 73936 | $103 \%$ |  |  |  | 27242 |
| Charges of Management. |  | 31634 |  | 33237 |  | 1603 |  |  |
| Governor General's Office | 42356 |  | 36450 |  |  |  | 59 |  |
| Government House.. | 1, 269361 | 1,604 66 | 1,275 46 |  |  | 1,10+ 02 |  |  |
| Justice. | 2,121 38 |  | 2,044 31 | 2,78 6 |  | 1,101 | ${ }_{77} 18$ |  |
| Solicitor General. | 32858 |  | 41349 |  | 8491 |  |  |  |
| Penitentiary Branch. | 8147 |  | 7642 |  |  |  | 505 |  |
|  |  | 87690 |  | 71185 |  |  |  | 16505 |
| St. Te meent de Paul Penitenitiary |  | 43202 | .... | 54391 |  | 11189 |  |  |
| Manitoba |  | 14209 |  |  |  | 40 |  |  |
| Mritish Columbia |  | 10266 |  | 18943 |  |  |  |  |
| British Columbia Prinee Albert Jail |  | 17101 |  | 17941 |  | 840 |  | 5014 |
| Regina Jail. |  | 2037 |  | 3766 |  | 1729 |  |  |
| Supreme Court. |  | 75953 |  | 1,025 29 |  | 26576 |  |  |
| ${ }_{\text {Exchequer }}$ Dominion Poli |  | 32156 |  | 12663 |  |  |  | 19493 |
| Yukon Library |  | 520 |  | 80 |  | 57069 |  |  |
| Miscellaneous |  | 4880 |  | 7475 |  | 2595 |  |  |
| Regina Law Library |  |  |  |  |  | 79000 |  |  |
| Marine and Fisheries.: |  | 1,922 01 |  | 2,174 96 |  | 25295 | 1561 | 3,50919 |
| Militia and Defence. . |  | 10,704 41 |  |  |  |  |  | 3,509 19 |

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D.-GOVERNMENT STATIONERY OFFICE.

General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended June 30, 1901.
Dr.

|  | Amount. | Total. |  | Amount. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| To Balance July <br> 1, 1900 | \$ cts. | $\begin{gathered} 8 \text { cts. } \\ .60,16331 \end{gathered}$ | £ s. <br> Brought forward. <br> 9,841 <br> 12 | 8 cts. 47,895 90 |  |
|  <br> Sons, Ltd..... 1,060 121 |  |  | ilson \& Smith 41711 |  |  |
| Alex. Cowan \& |  |  | Thos. De La Rue |  |  |
| Sons, Ltd..... 1,218 11 5 | 5,930 37 |  | \& Co.......... 721710 | 35474 |  |
| Sampson Low, |  |  | Max Weg .. . 017 | 038 |  |
| Marston \& Co., 20317 |  |  | Ch. Gaulon..... 1002 | 491 |  |
| $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Ltd.......... } \\ \text { Eyre } & 20317 \quad 7 \\ \text { Spottis- } \\ 161 & 3 & 2\end{array}$ | 78430 |  | Lyra Lead Pen- <br> cil Co......... 248 8装 <br> Bureau Interna- | 11892 |  |
| Wm. Mitchell... 115123 | 56264 |  | tional del'U- |  |  |
| John Walker \& |  |  | nion Postale |  |  |
| Co., Ltd...... 2,582 17 5 | 12,569 99 |  | Universelle .. 012 4 | 300 |  |
| Geo.Rowney \& Co $230 \quad 9 \quad 9$ | 1,121 72 |  | P.S. King \& Son 0150 | 365 |  |
| Wm. Fo. Stanley 4191510 |  |  | Elliott Bros.... 510 | 24 58 |  |
| J. D Po.........419 15 10 <br> 5   | 2,042 99 |  | John Rabone \& 90 |  |  |
| John Heath \& $\because \mathrm{Co}$ | 17216 |  | FrancisEdwards ${ }^{\text {S }}$, 4 | 4380 |  |
| Geo. Wostenholm | 50291 |  | Julius Springer. 0019 | 480 |  |
| \& Sons, Ltd... 70715 | 3,444 48 |  | Dulan \& Co... 066 | 154 |  |
| Geo. Waterston \& Sons <br> 3521 |  |  | $\underset{\text { Millington \& }}{\text { Sons, Ltd }}$ \& ${ }^{\text {a }} 150$ | 12045 |  |
| Cooper, Dennison <br> \&Walkden <br> $49 \quad 2 \quad 0$ | 23895 |  | Negretti \& Zam- <br> bra...... 83144 |  |  |
| Johann Faber.... $50-78$ | 24519 |  | Meteorological |  |  |
| F. A. Brockhaus. 2087 | 9940 |  | Office.0.... 9 9 0 | 4386 |  |
| H. Morrell, Ltd.. 29175 | 14537 |  | Wildy \& Sons. . 7010 | 3427 |  |
| Grosvenor, Chater \& Co., Ltd... 1,066 18 ह | 5,192 35 |  | Waterlow \& Sons, Ltd........ a | 19710 |  |
| James Chester- man \& Co.... $8713 \quad 6$ | 42668 |  | Faudel, Phillips \& Sons..... 1 | 1981 |  |
| A. W. Faber.... 48169 | 23768 |  | Gilbert\&Riving. |  |  |
| H. C. Stephens. 4587 | 22109 |  | ton...- $\ldots$. 01113 | 274 |  |
| Evans, Adlard \& Co......... 211 $0^{\text {a }}$ | 1,026 97 |  |     <br> Sims....... 10 2 3 | 4921 |  |
|  | 2154 |  | 10,147 12 41 | 49,385 07 | 49,385 07 |
| Perry \& Co...... 1127 | 793 |  |  |  |  |
| Winsor\&Newton, Ltd. $\qquad$ $37 \quad 4 \quad 2$ | 181.08 |  | Difference in exchange. |  | 109,548 0 08 |
| $\begin{array}{llll} \begin{array}{c} \text { Rendali, Under- } \\ \text { wood \& Co... } \end{array} & 35 & 17 & 0 \end{array}$ | 17447 |  |  |  | 109,518 40 |
| Winterbottom |  |  | Tower Mfg. \& Novelty Co | 2,591 91 |  |
| Book Cloth Co. 28249 | 1,373 56 |  | Keuffel \& Esser Co ..... | 2,875 34 |  |
| Jos. Rodgers \& |  |  | The Baker \& 'Taylor Co. | 75091 |  |
| Sons....... 12824 | 62350 |  | Eagle Pencil Co. | 1,13ij 99 |  |
| Willis Faber \& Co $64 \quad 6$ ) | 31311 |  | Eberhard Faber | 2,920 59 |  |
| McCaw, Steven- 67100 |  |  | Eugene Dietzgen Co ........ | 55956 |  |
| son \& Orr | 32850 |  | Holmes, Booth \& Haydens Co. | 51550 |  |
| Gurney \& Jackson........... 2715 | 13519 |  | W. H. Lowdermilk \& Co. . . Adams, Cushing \& Foster. . | $\begin{aligned} & 14862 \\ & 227 \\ & \hline 12 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| Paul Sabel \& Co. $\quad 9067$ | 43960 |  | Carter's Ink Co. | 6304 |  |
| Robt. Craig \& |  |  | Burrows Bros. Co. | 5250 |  |
| Sons, Ltdl..... 157126 | 76711 |  | Addressograph Co. | 1278 |  |
| Robt. Fletcher \& |  |  | Parson's Paper Co...... . | 4600 |  |
| Sons, Itd..... 22113 | 10980 |  | Burr Index Co............. | 18800 |  |
| Edward Stanford 0184 | 446 |  | Trahlet \& Ticket C | 2215 |  |
| E. Wolff \& Son.. 7617 | 37404 |  | Judd Paper Co | 2352 |  |
| Bernard Quaritch 2015 | 10115 |  | S. Raymond Roberts | 2000 |  |
| Wm. George's Sons ......... 11110 | $56 \cdot 21$ |  | Scientific Publishing Co Edward Thompson Co. | 925 1800 |  |
| Carried forward. 9,841 $12 \quad 6$ | 47,895 90, | 60,163 31 | Carried forward. | 12,181 78 | 109,548 40 |

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Dr.


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Dr.


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General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended June 30, 1900-Concluded.

## Dr.

| - | Amount. | Total. | - | Amount. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Brought forward.... |  | *353,617 97 | Brought forward. | 28476 | 354,13356 |
| J. J. Allen. | 890 |  | Ottawa Forwarding Co ..... | 1371 |  |
| Bank of Montreal | 1200 1300 |  | Ottawa Despatch \& Agency Co............... | 1500 |  |
| Davidson \& Thackeray | 17500 |  | Ottawa Field Naturalists |  |  |
| L. G. Desjardins....... | 13000 |  | Club............ ...... | 660 |  |
| A. Ducharme | 250 |  | Ottawa Paper Box Co | 648 |  |
| Estate Dr. G. M. Dawson. | 1054 |  | Paynter \& Abbott | 300 |  |
| Registrar Exchequer Court | 1200 |  | L. N. Poulin. | 1643 |  |
| J. P. \& F. W. Esmonde.. | 500 |  | D. C. Scott. | 450 |  |
| B. H. Fraser. | 400 |  | Stephen Bros......... . | 840 |  |
| W. H. Fligg. | 375 |  | Electric Baggage Transfer Co. | 150 |  |
| Fotheringham \& Popham | 880 |  | Laura Smith | 400 |  |
| Hannay \& Routh | 3900 |  | T. A. Spence \& Co | 2500 |  |
| G. A. Harring. | 500 |  | Mrs. W. H. Smith | 13050 |  |
| H. P. Herbert. | 1000 |  | Taylor \& Clarke. | 1285 |  |
| Frank Jarman... | 1000 |  | J. C. Tully . ${ }^{\text {J }}$ ( ${ }^{\text {Cob }}$ | 1697 <br> 37 <br> 05 |  |
| Thomas Lyness.... L. A. M. Lovekin. | 1340 800 |  | Jas. Wilson \& Co | 3705 | 58675 |
| W. D. Lemieux. | 4000 |  |  |  |  |
| L. Lafranchise. | 450 | 51559 | Canadian Pacific Railway Co. | 2,008 14 |  |
| Dept. of Labour | 020 |  | Canada Atlantic Railway Co. | 1,703 86 |  |
| J. Mescall. | 100 |  | Canadian Express Co...... Dominion Express Co....... | 34927 13571 |  |
| Alex. Mills. | 3325 |  | American Express Co...... | 11623 | 4,313 21 |
| John Macoun. J. A. Musgrove | 2275 360 |  |  |  |  |
| R. Mondie. | 1200 |  | Department Public Printing |  |  |
| C. H. McGregor | 10424 |  | \& Stationery .. ... ...... | 3,896 05 |  |
| McNeill \& Stewart.. | 10200 |  |  |  | 3,896 05 |
| Ottawa, Arnprior \& Parry |  |  | Profit | . ....... | 6,490 87 |
| Sound Railway.. | 592 |  |  |  | 3,561 31 |
| Carried forward. | 28476 | 354,133 56 |  |  | 372,981 75 |

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E.-Comparative Statement of Business transacted in the Stationery Office from 1886-7 (the first year that the Bureau was handed over to the King's Printer) and subsequent years up to 1900-1901.

| Years. | Goods received. | Goods sent out. | Demands. | Letters received. | Letters sent out. | Packages despatched by mail. | Packages and cases despatched by rail. | Papers and envelopes supplied to Printing Pranch for work. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | \$ cts. | \$ cus. |  |  |  |  |  | \$ cts. |
| 1856-7. | 128,463 16 | 132,313 88 | 10,297 | 948 | 3,243 | 4,389 | 102 | 64,528 18 |
| 1887-8. | 183,731 61 | 186,832 56 | 11,251 | 958 | 3,712 | 3.733 | 168 | 65,264 38 |
| 1888.9. | 192,101 36 | 185,8950 04 | 11,591 | 1,174 | 4,020 | 3,979 | 185 | 87,384 95 |
| 1889-90. | 180,747 41 | 176,273 58 | 13,708 | 1,411 | 5,939 | 3,330 | 244 | 88,651 46 |
| 1890-1. | 185,089 29 | 193,035 51 | 15,220 | 1,547 | 6,483 | 3,967 | 463 | 92,994 87 |
| 1891-2. | 218,495 69 | 219,749 90 | 17,694 | 1,827 | 6,711 | 4,728 | 1,794 | 118,964 74 |
| 1892-3. | 228,100 38 | 225,401 37 | 17,855 | 2,403 | 6,869 | 5,317 | 2,118 | 118,983 22 |
| 1893-4. | 191,838 69 | 205,873 33 | 16,901 | 2,488 | 6,951 | 6,153 | 2,111 | 101,315 59 |
| 1894-5. | 190,840 65 | 195,769 83 | 17,857 | 3,404 | 8,178 | 5,883 | 2,017 | 97,100 88 |
| 1895.6. | 197,592 91 | 199,538 62 | 18,899 | 3,675 | 9,132 | 6,730 | 1,469 | 98,045 34 |
| 1896-7. | 205,051 35 | 214,061 82 | 20,756 | 3,804 | 9,406 | 9,244 | 1,122 | 93,114 84 |
| 1897-8. | 230,497 06 | 225,116 44 | 21,772 | 5,367 | 11,457 | 12,521 | 1,170 | 117,312 10 |
| 1898-9. | 218,088 17 | 236,988 62 | 21,047 | 4,640 | 13,059 | 11,343 | 1,217 | 113,706 19 |
| 1899-1900. | 237,017 96 | 25̌2,100 23 | 21,928 | 5,983 | 13,277 | 14,129 | 1,060 | 110,049 48 |
| 1900-01. | 302,766 26 | 301,495 95 | 23,227 | 6,856 | 13,689 | 16,382 | 1,038 | 142,421 20 |
| Increase. $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 174,30310 \\ & \text { or } 136 \text { p.c. } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 169,18207 \\ & \text { or } 128 \text { p.c. } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12,930 \\ \text { or } 125 \text { p.c. } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,908 \\ \text { or } 623 \text { p.c. } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,446 \\ \text { or } 322 \text { p.c. } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,993 \\ \text { or } 273 \text { p.c. } \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 936 \\ \text { or } 917 \text { p.c. } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 77,89302 \\ \text { or } 121 \text { p.c. } \end{array}$ |

## F. GOULDTHRITE,

Superintendent of Stationery.

1-2 EDWARD VII., A. 1902
F.-Distribution of the Statutes of Canada; being 63-64 Victoria, Fifth Session, Eighth Parliament, ${ }^{\circ} 1900$, English and French, bound half Sheep.

| To Whom Sent. | Volumes 1 and 2. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | English. | French. |
| His Excellency the Governor General. <br> Honourable Cabinet Ministers. <br>  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Total. | 692 | 140 |
| Departments. |  |  |
| Judges, clerk and offices, Supreme Court. Exchequer Court |  |  |
| Law Clerk, Senate. |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Library of Parliament.................. ..... . . ... . .... ................... ${ }^{\text {c }}$. 40 . 10 |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Clerk of the Crown in Chancery... . . . . . ........................................... ${ }^{\text {a }}$. 1 |  |  |
| Total. | 221 | 36 |

Distribution of Statutes, 1900-Continued.


Distribution of Statutes, 1900-Continued.


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Distribution of Statutes, 1900-Continued.


1-2 EDWARD VII., A. 1902
Distribution of Statutes, 1900-Continued.
List No. 2, bound in full calf.

| To Whom Sent. | Volume 1. |  | Volume 2. |  | Volumes 1 and 2. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | English. | French. | English. | French. | English. | French. |
| His Excellency the Governor General. . |  |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| Their Honours the Lieut.-Governors. . . |  |  |  |  | 8 | 2 |
| The Colonial Secretary | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |  |
| The Registrar General. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |
| Privy Councillors, not otherwise entitled |  |  |  |  | 14 | 4 |
| Clerk, Privy Council ................. |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 |
| Offices " (half calf). |  |  |  |  | 5 |  |
| Deputy Ministers |  |  |  |  | 16 |  |
| Judges and Registrars, Supreme Court |  | ....... |  |  | 5 |  |
| Library and Judges' Chambers "1 |  |  |  |  | 2 | 2 |
| Judge and Registrar, Exchequer Court |  |  |  |  | 2 |  |
| Keeper of Records, Dept. of Secretary of State. |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 |
| Keeper of Records, Dept. of Agricul ture. |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 |
| Lıbrarians of Parliament. |  |  |  |  | 2 | 2 |
| The Clerk, Senate....... | .... ... | ....... | . . . . . | .... . | 2 | 2 |
| ${ }^{\prime \prime}$ House of Commons |  |  |  |  | 2 | 2 |
| The Speaker, Senate. . II House of Commons |  |  |  |  | 2 | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ |
| Deputy Clerk " |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 |
| Law Clerk " |  |  | . . $\cdot$ | . $\cdot$ | 1 |  |
| Clerk's Secretary, House of Commons. |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |
| Honourable Senators.. |  |  |  |  | 61 |  |
| Legislative Libraries. |  |  |  |  | 8 | 8 |
| Religious bodies. |  |  |  |  | 38 | 12 |
| Total | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 211 | 61 |

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Distribution of Statutes, 1900-Continued.
List No. 3, bound in calf.


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Distribution of Statutes, 1900-Concluded.
RECAPITULATION.


SESSIONAL PAPER No. 32
G.-Distribution and Sales of Revised Statutes, 1886, \&c.

| Binding. | On hand July 1, 1900. |  | Cash Sales. |  | Orders of Secretary of State. |  | Orders in Council. |  | Total sent out. |  | On hand June 30, 1901. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ein } \\ & \text { ex } \\ & \text { en } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  | - |  | 这 |  |  |
| Half sheep. | 1,218 | 803 | 12 | 4 | 12 | 2 | 39 |  | 63 | 6 | 1,155 | 797 |
| Full " . | 618 | 107 |  |  | 2 |  |  | .... | 2 |  | , 616 | 107 |
| Half calf. | 159 | 96 |  |  | 1 |  |  | ..... | 1 |  | 158 | 96 |
| Full ${ }^{\prime}$ | 66 | 43 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 66 | 43 |

ACTS OF THE PROVINCES AND OF CANADA, NOT REPEALED, 1887.


CONSOLIDATED ORDERS IN COUNCIL, 1889.


CRIMINAL CODE, 1892.

| Half sheep... | *3,529 ${ }^{\text {31 }}$ | 93 22 | 324 | 32 | 4 |  | 1,182 | 61 | 1,510 | 93 | 2,019 31 | 22 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

[^7]1-2 EDWARD VII., A. 1902
H.-Statement of Statutes of Canada sold and distributed


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## I.-Sales of Departmental Reports.



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Sales of Departmental Reports-Cantinued.


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Sales of Departmental Reports-Continued.


1-2 EDWARD \II., A. 1902
Sales of Departmental Reports-Continued.


SESSIONAL PAPER No. 32
Sales of Departmental Reports-Continued.


1-2 EDWARD VII., A. 1902
Sales of Departmental Reports-Continued.


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Sales of Departmental Reports-Concluded.


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For convenience of reference a full list with prices is subjoined of all the volumes of Reports of Parliamentary Debates which have been printed. It should be noted that the first three years are condensed reports only, and that down to 1880 the work was done by various hands. The present system commenced with the session of 1881.

## PARLIAMENTARY DEBATES.



## F. GOULDTHRITE,

Superintendent of Stationery.









[^0]:    "The year past has been one of constant pressure at the Government Printing Bureau. Keeping pace with the rapid growth of the country and the expansion of its interests, the operations of the government are extending over wider areas and in new directions. Of necessity it follows, therefore, that there must be larger requirements upon the Bureau and a continually increasing strain upon its resources. . . . . The Government Printing Bureau has been for years occupied to its utmost capacity. There is not room for additional hands. More hands would, in fact, produce less work, because the men would be in each other's way. There has been no serious suspension of work-people in any branch since the year 1896, and the work is now beginning to overflow into outside offices. . . . The need of increased accommodation has been continually pointed out from the very first year the Bureau was opened. In 1899; the late Queen's Printer reported 'that every part of the building was occupied.'"

[^1]:    *These French Reports were not complete at date of compiling this report; they are approximated to be of same length as the English.

[^2]:    * These French reports were not complete at date of compiling this report ; they are approximated to be of same length as the English.

[^3]:    * Same as order for other Departments.

[^4]:    Note.- (a.) 'Copies' are synonymous with sheets; (b.) 'Jinvelopes' are not included in 'Copies.

[^5]:    * Third revise sent out.

[^6]:    * Third revise sent out.

[^7]:    * 3,000 reprinted.

